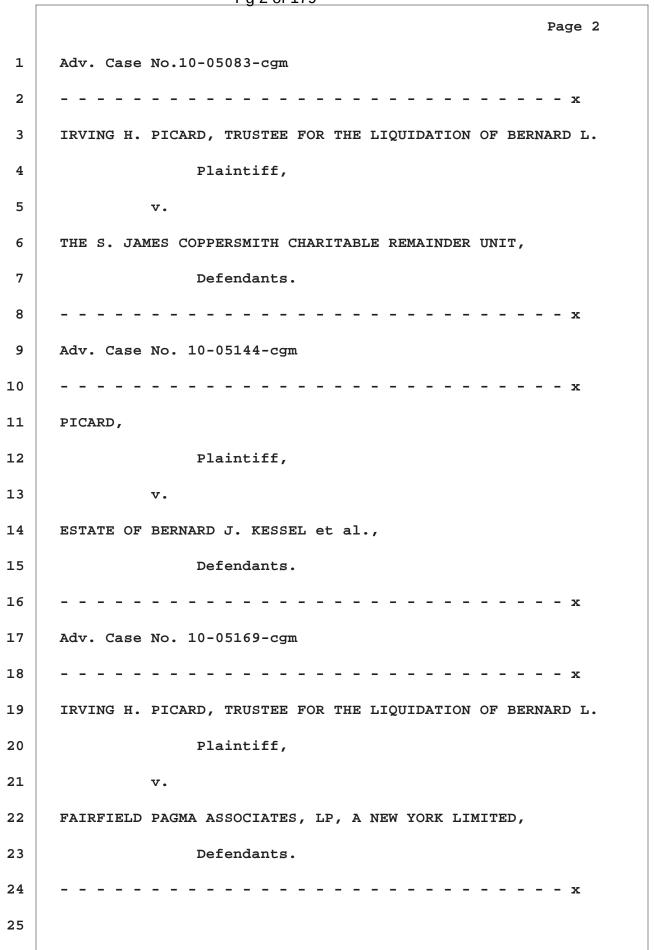
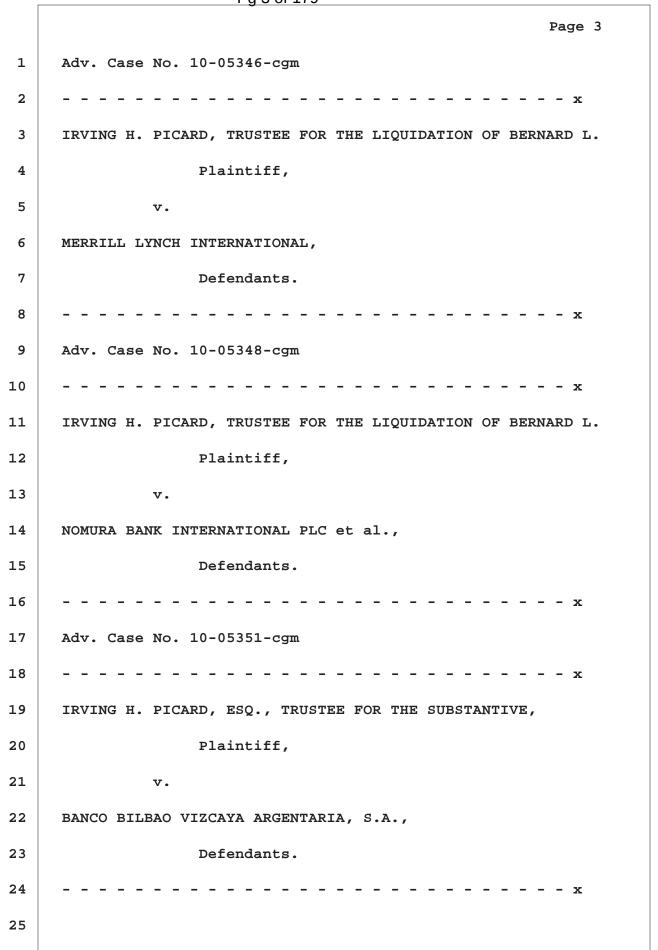
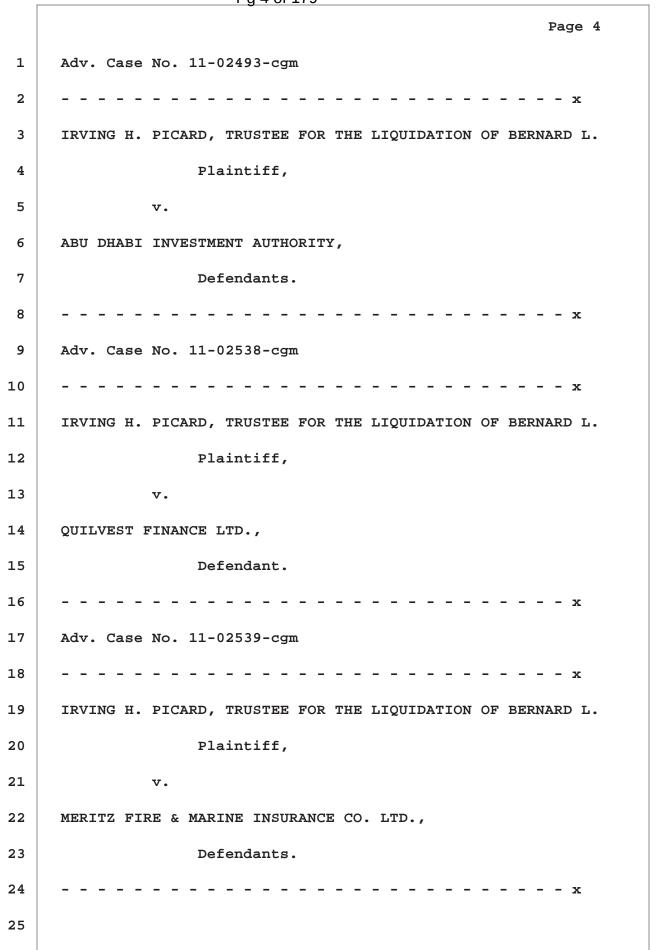
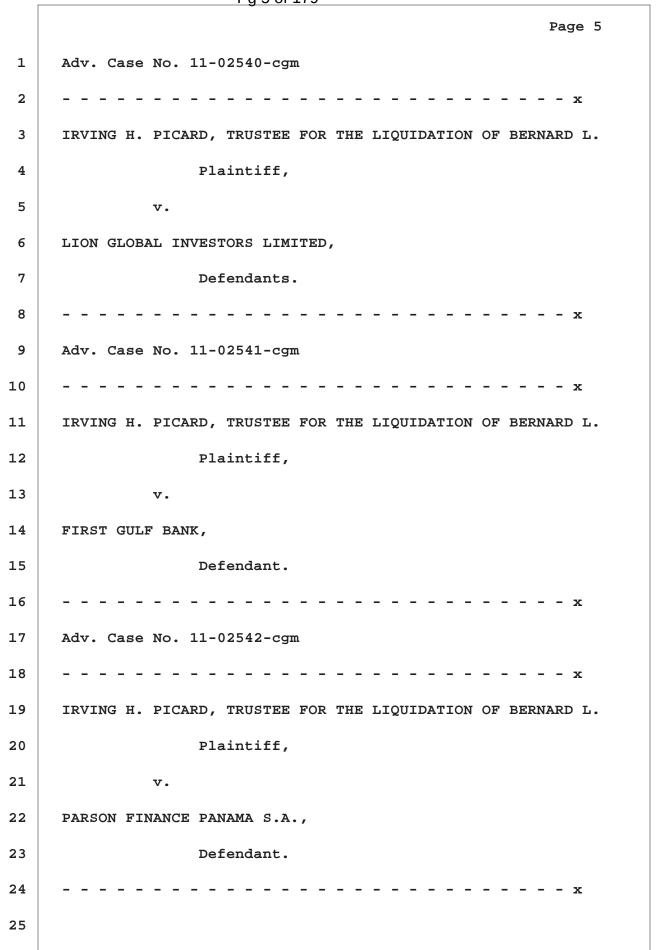
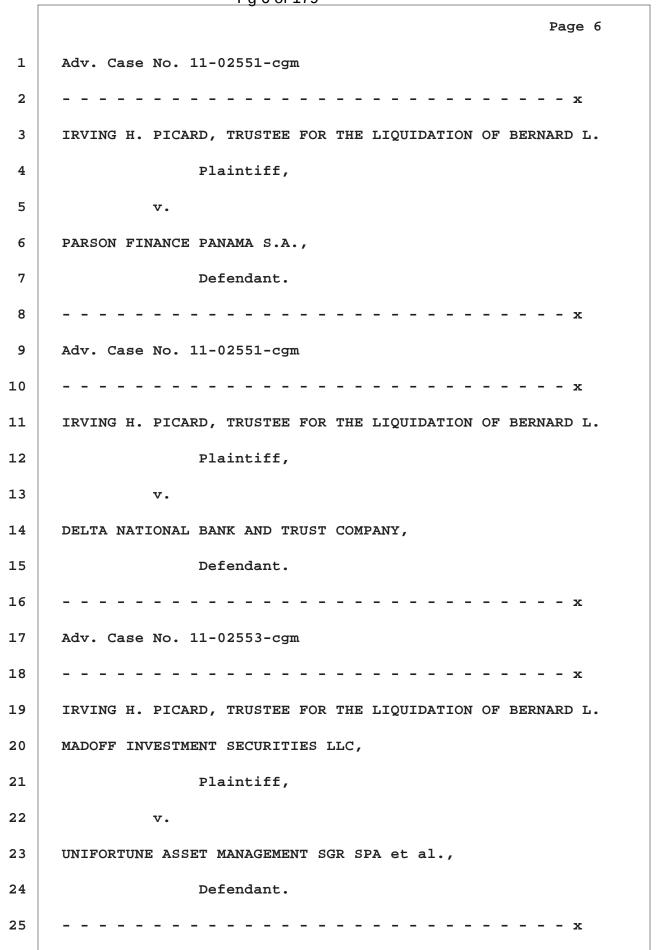
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7	Debtor.
8	x
9	Adv. Case No. 08-01789-cgm
10	x
11	SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION,
12	Plaintiff,
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14	BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT SECURITIES, LLC. et al.,
15	Defendants.
16	x
17	Adv. Case No. 10-04986-cgm
18	x
19	IRVING H. PICARD, TRUSTEE FOR THE LIQUIDATION OF BERNARD L.
20	Plaintiff,
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23	Defendants.
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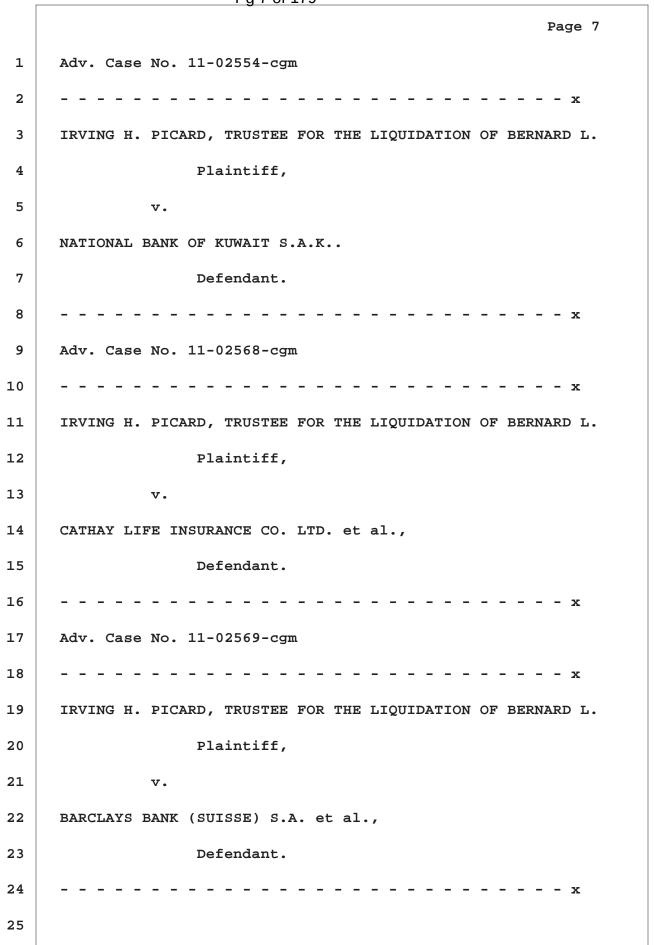


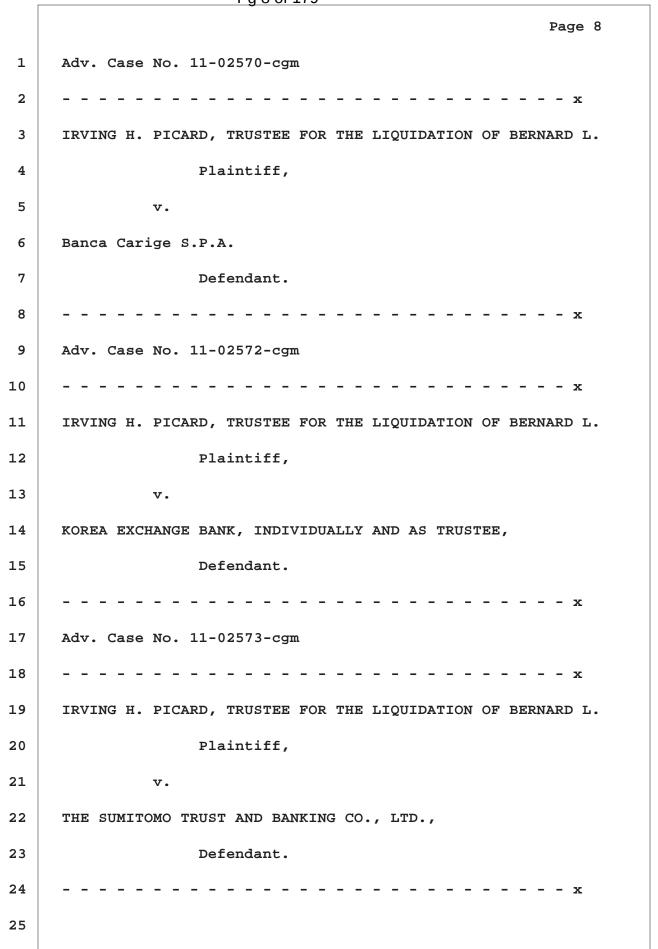


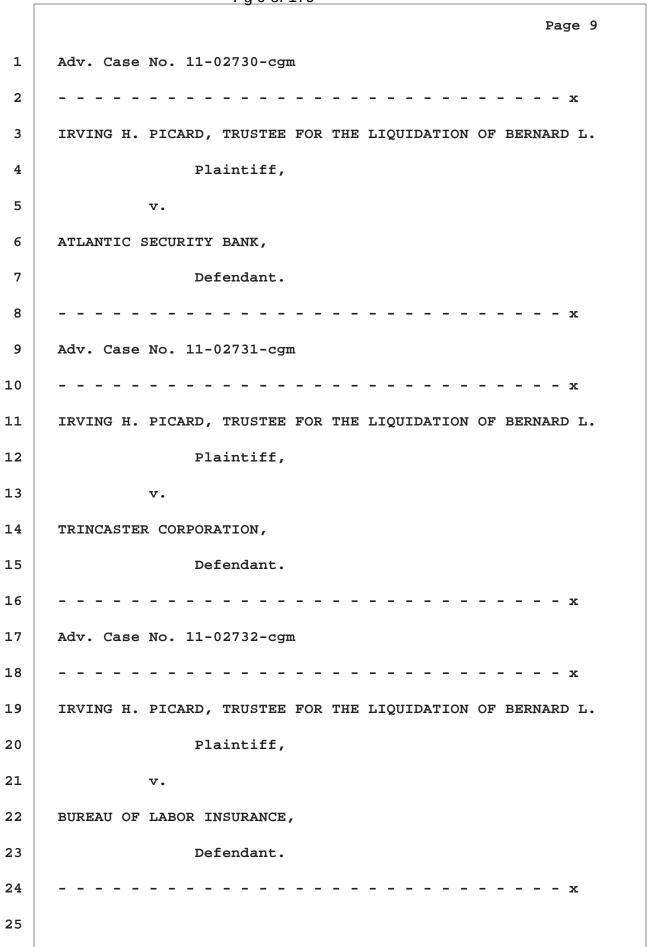


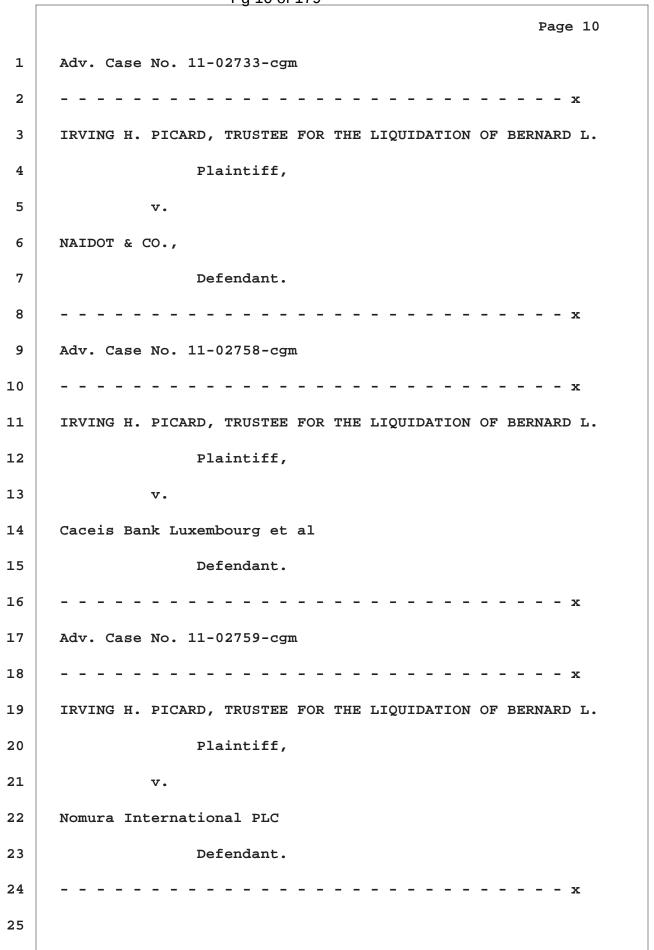


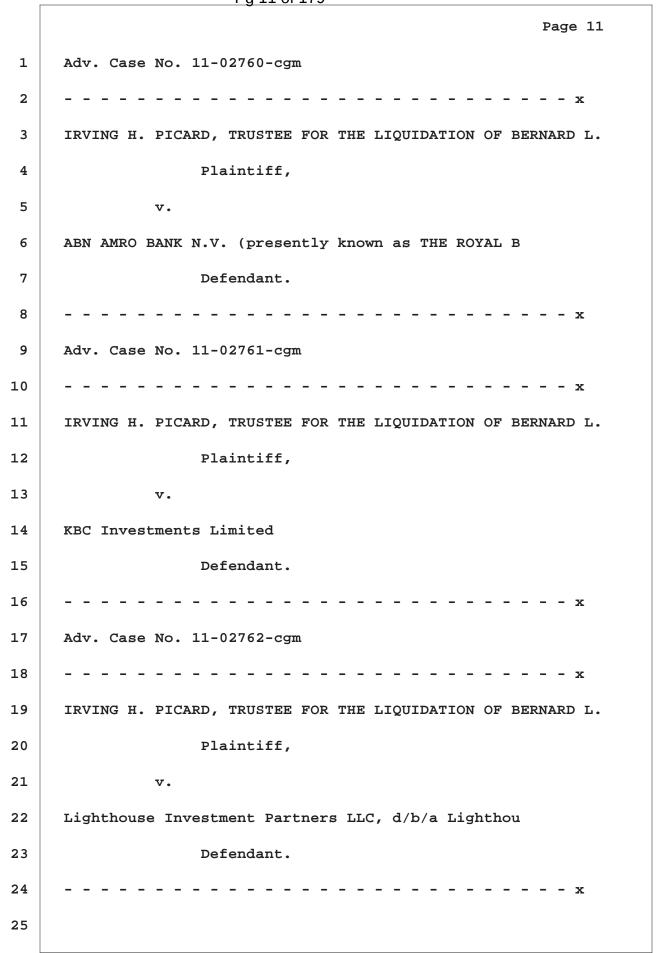


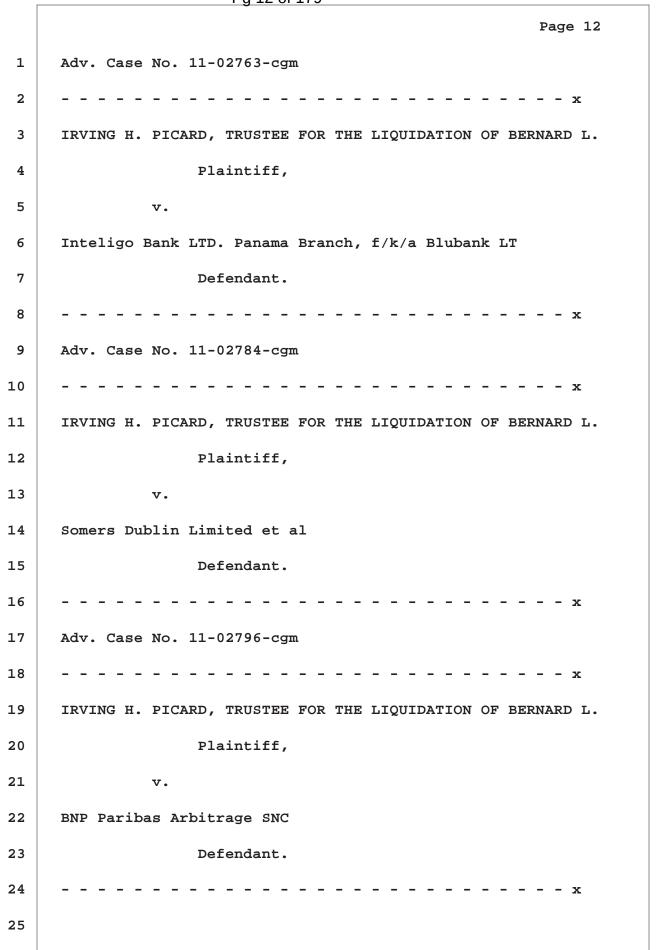


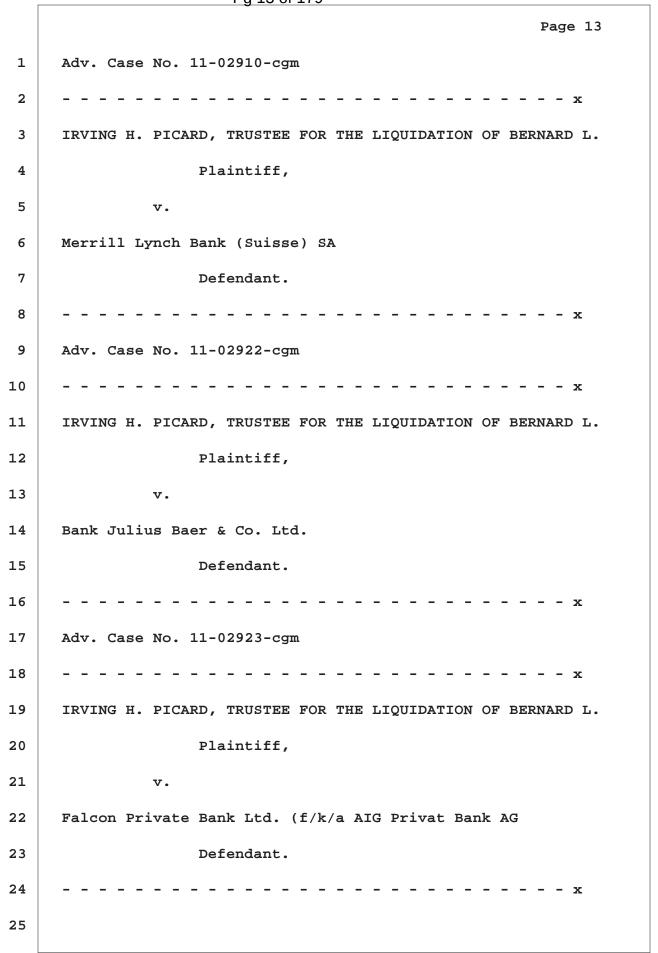


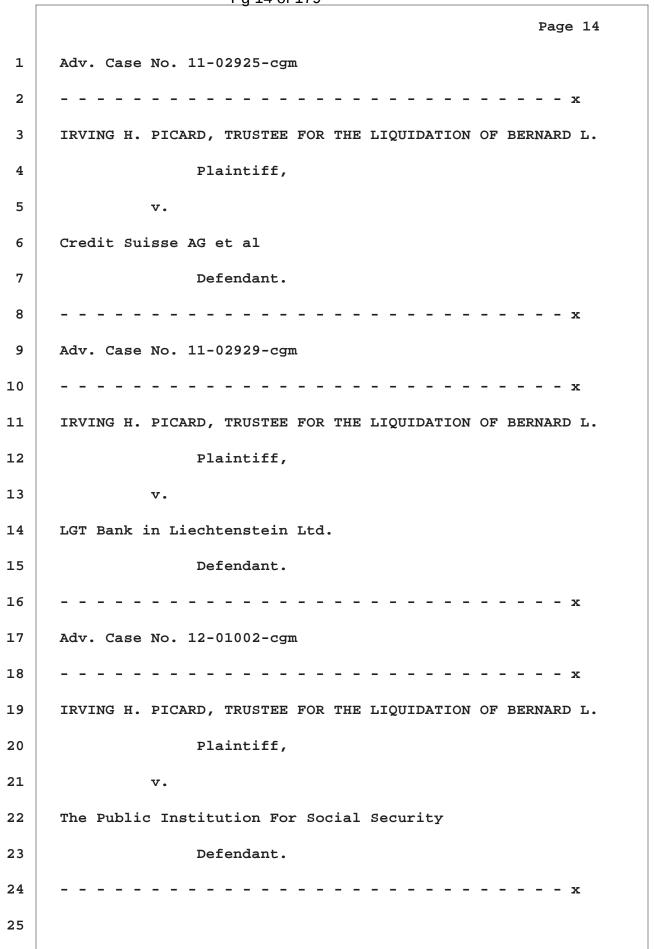


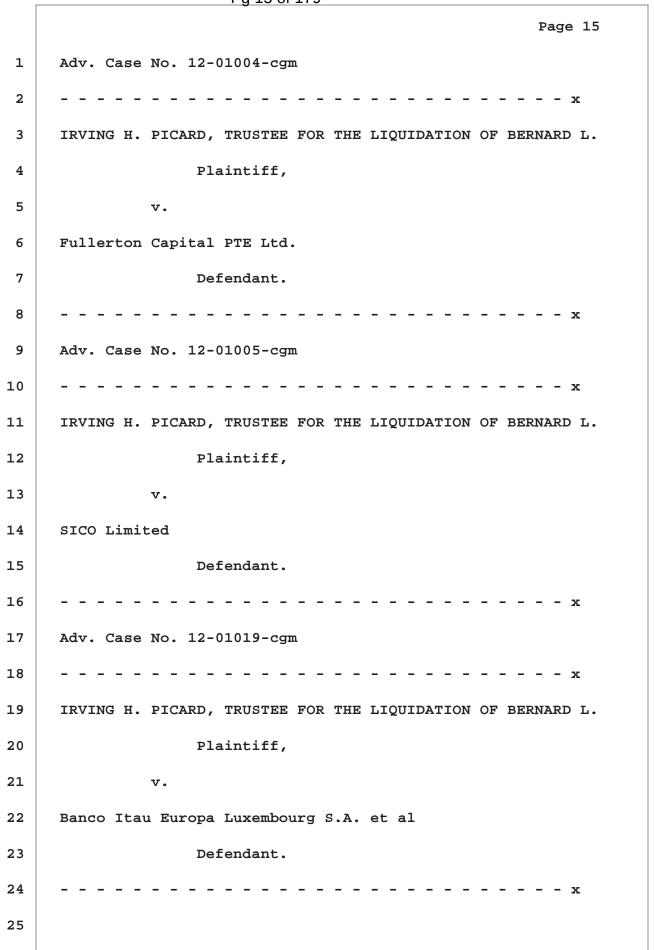


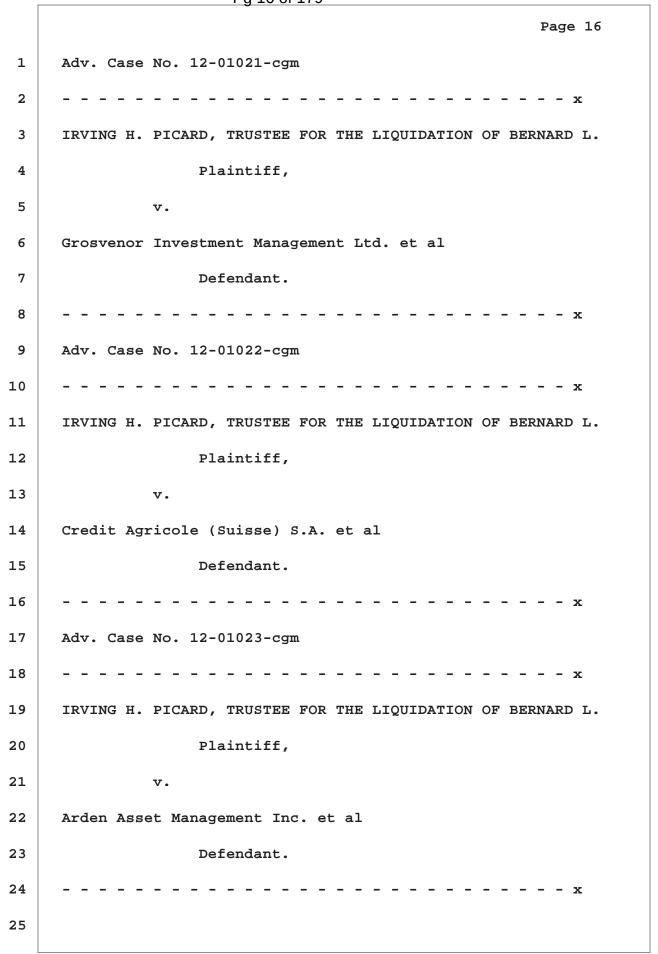


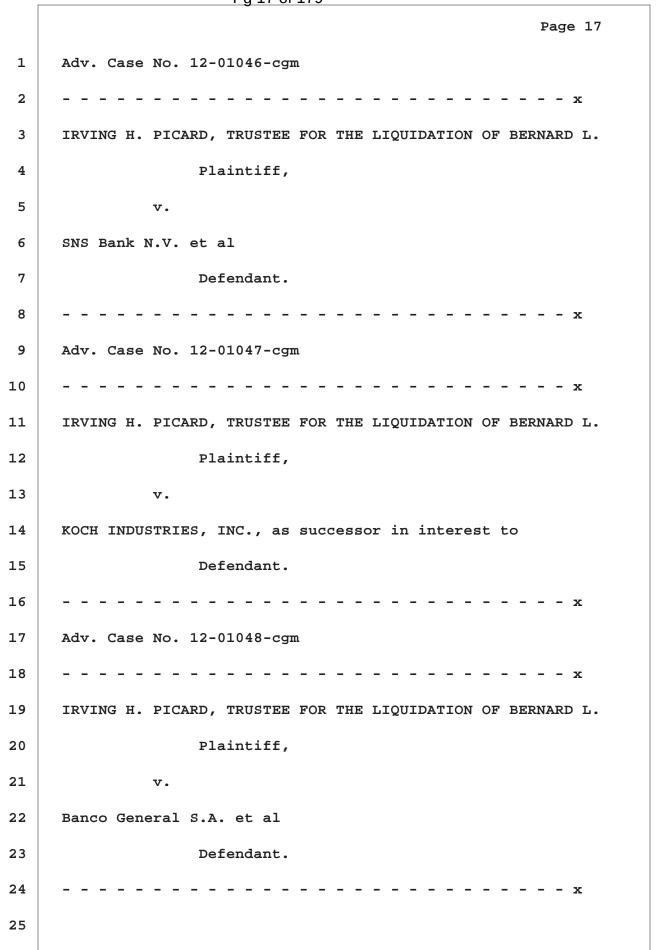


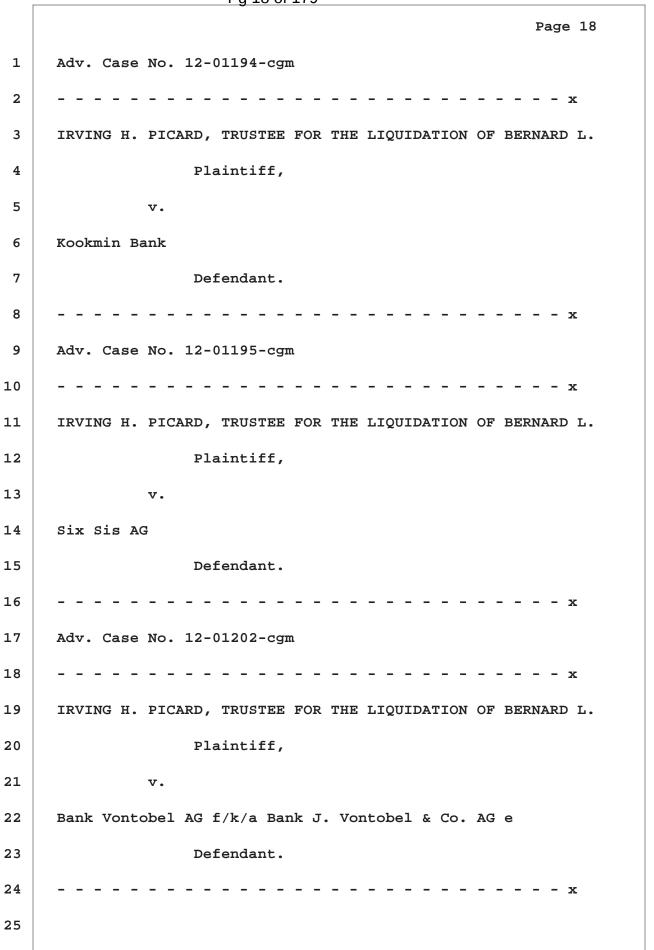


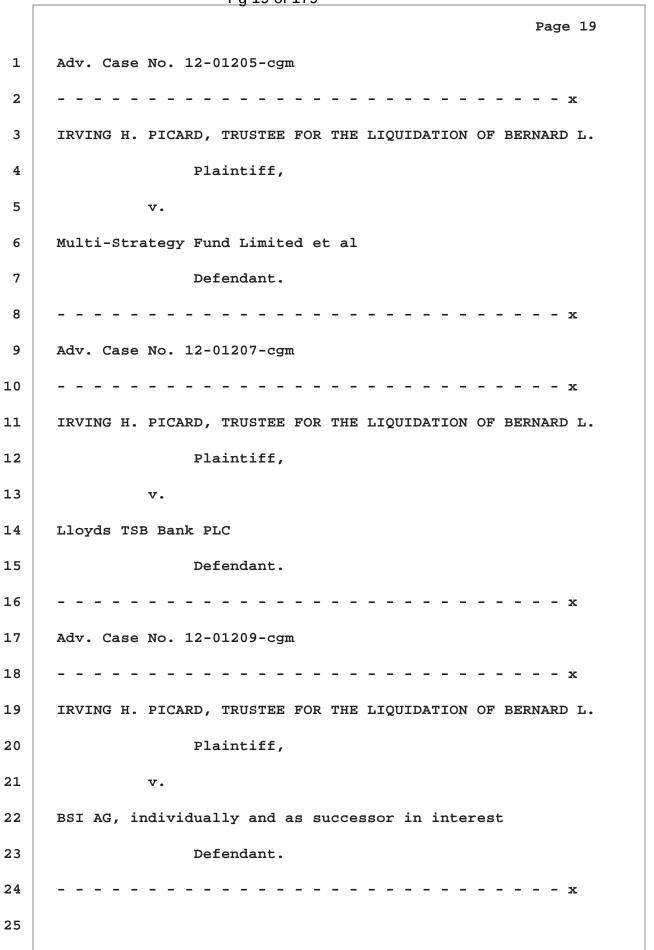


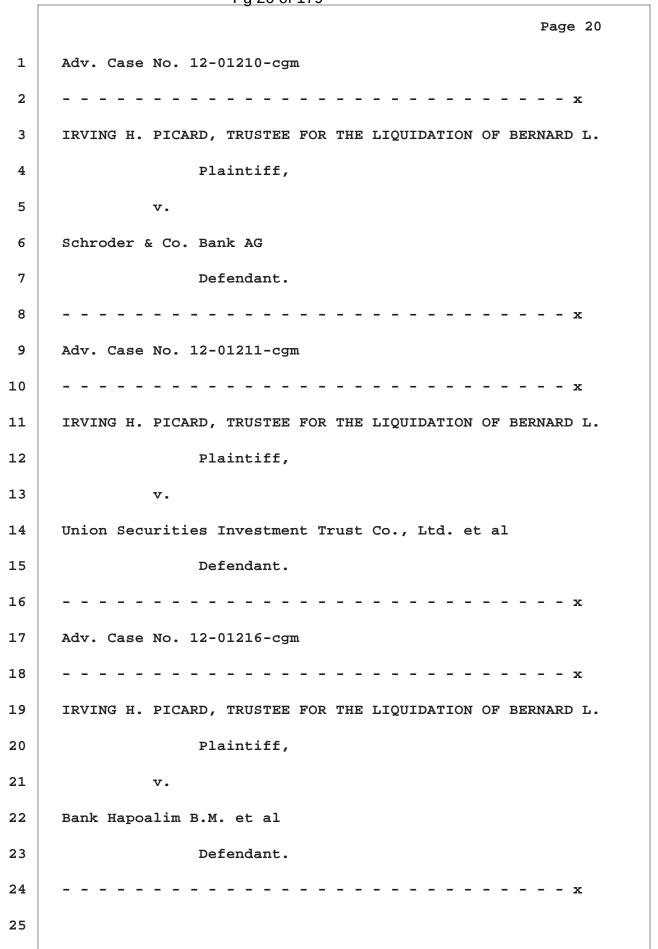


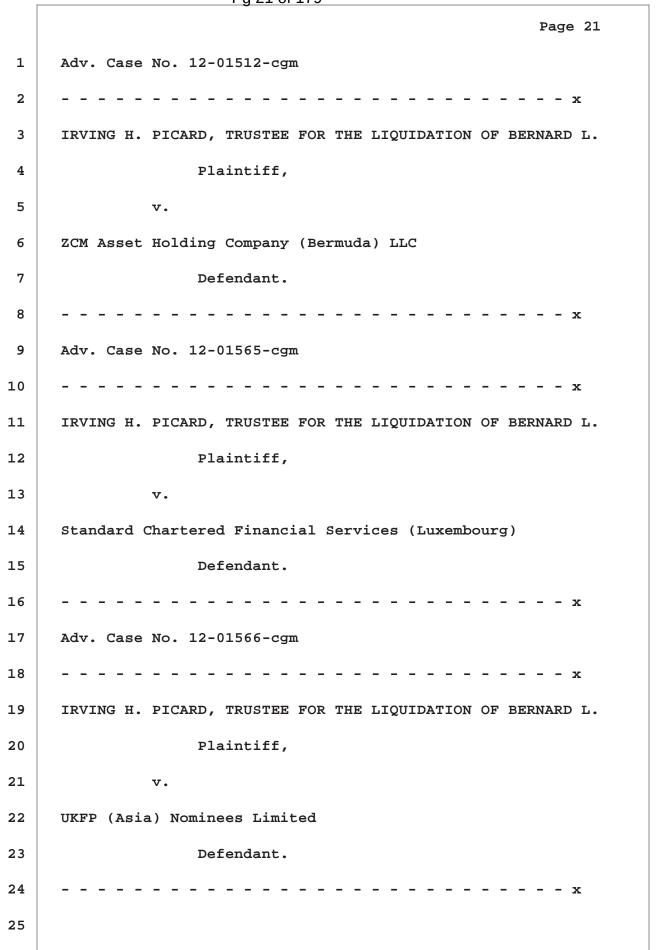


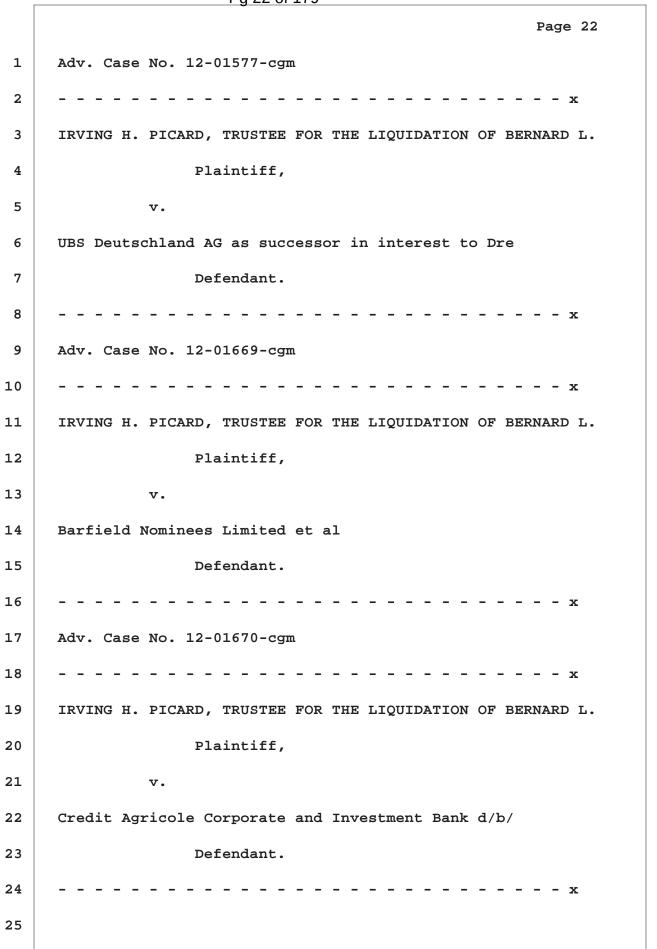


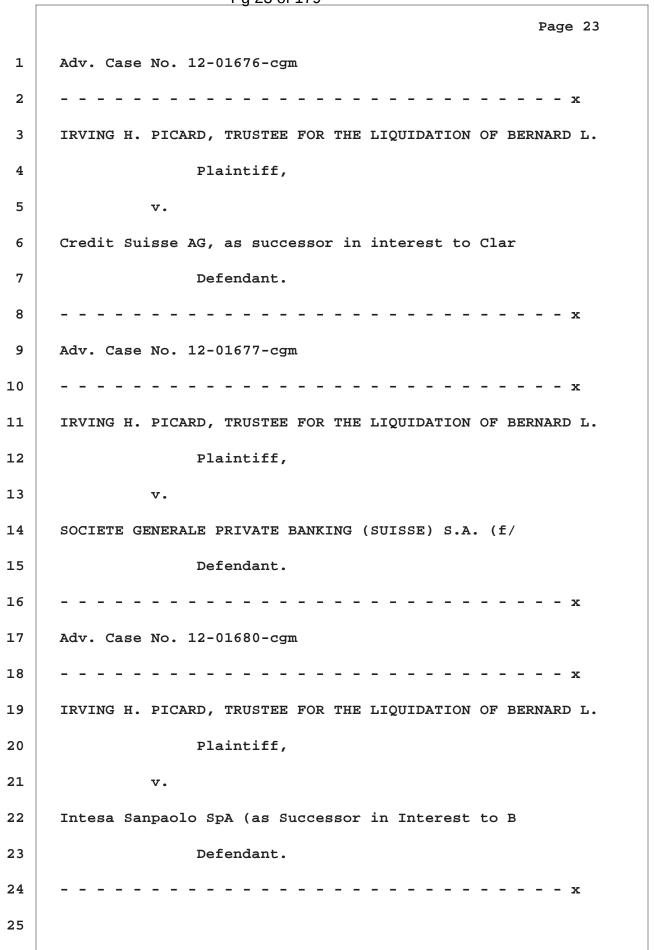


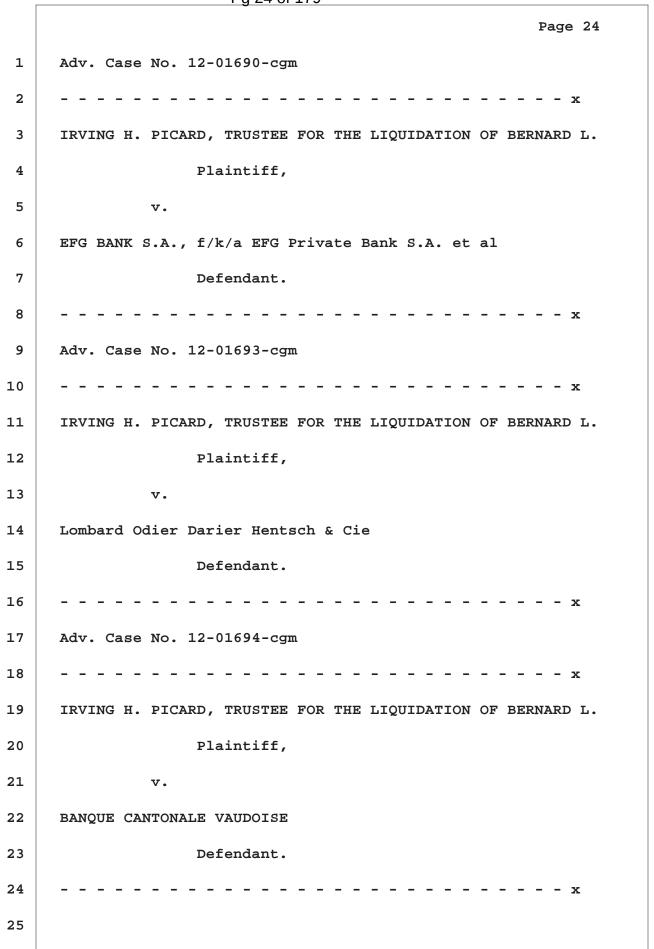


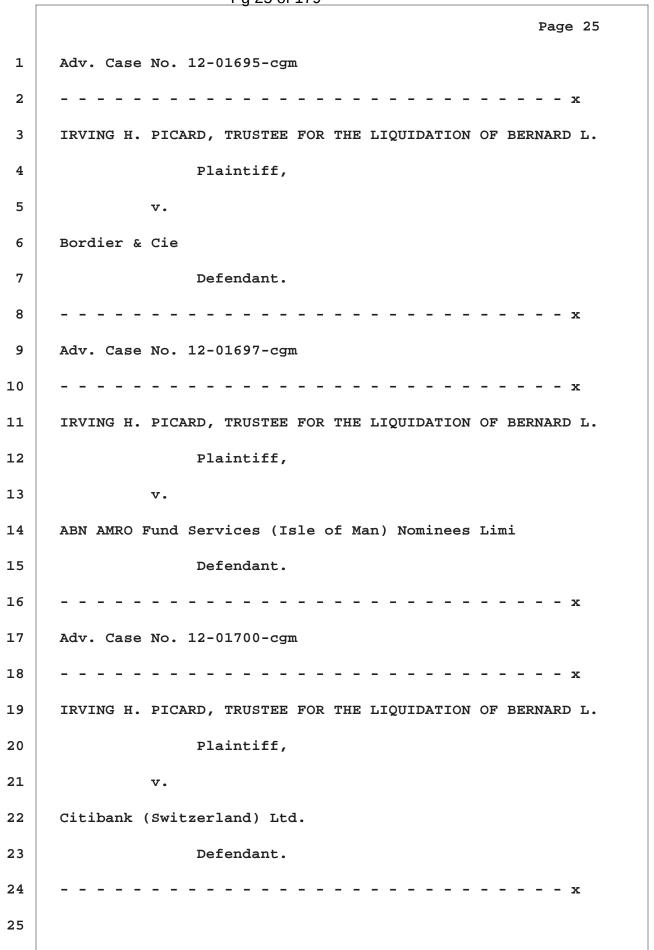


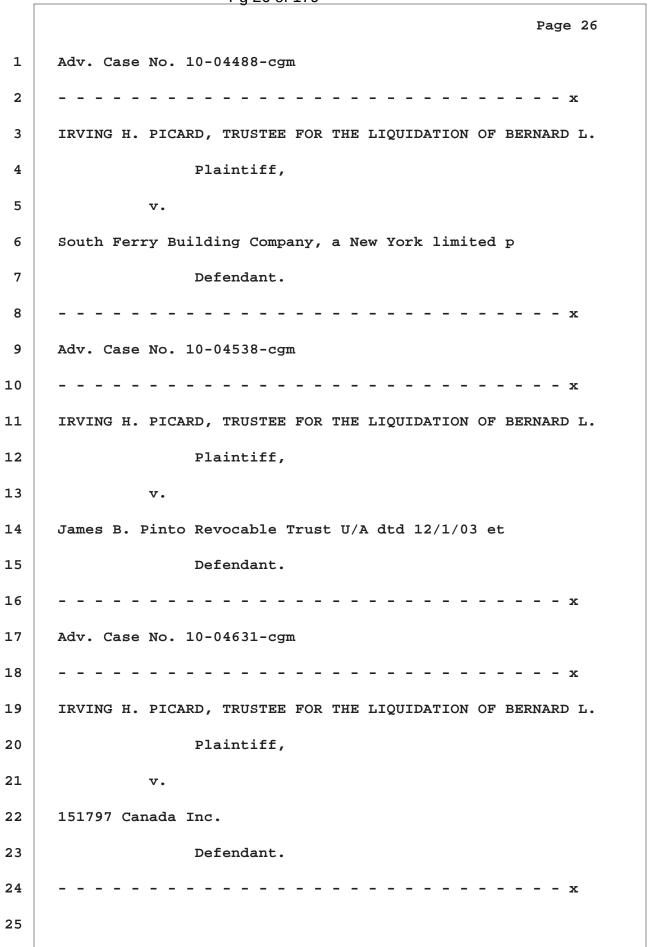


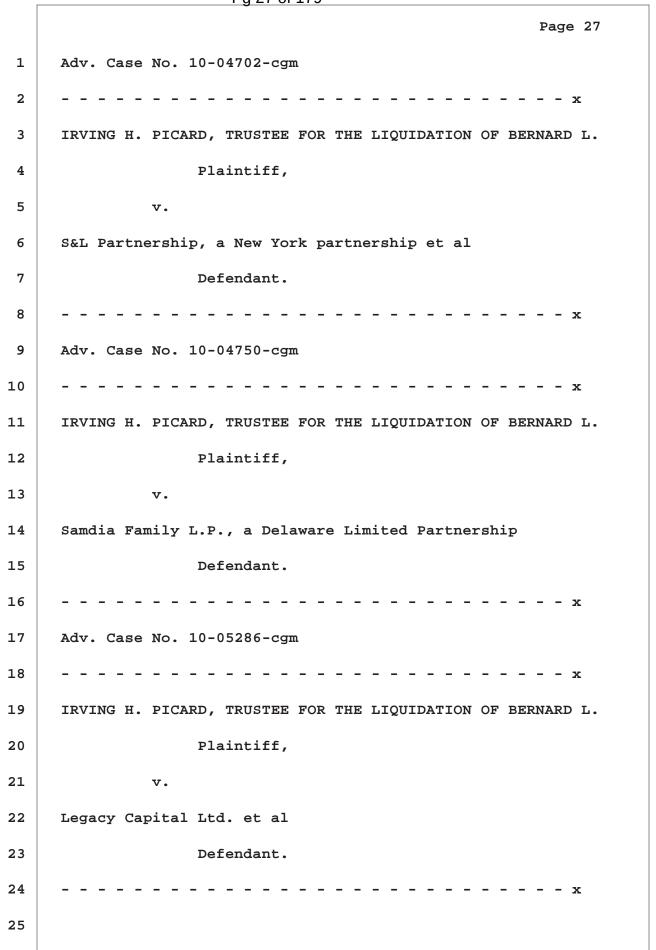


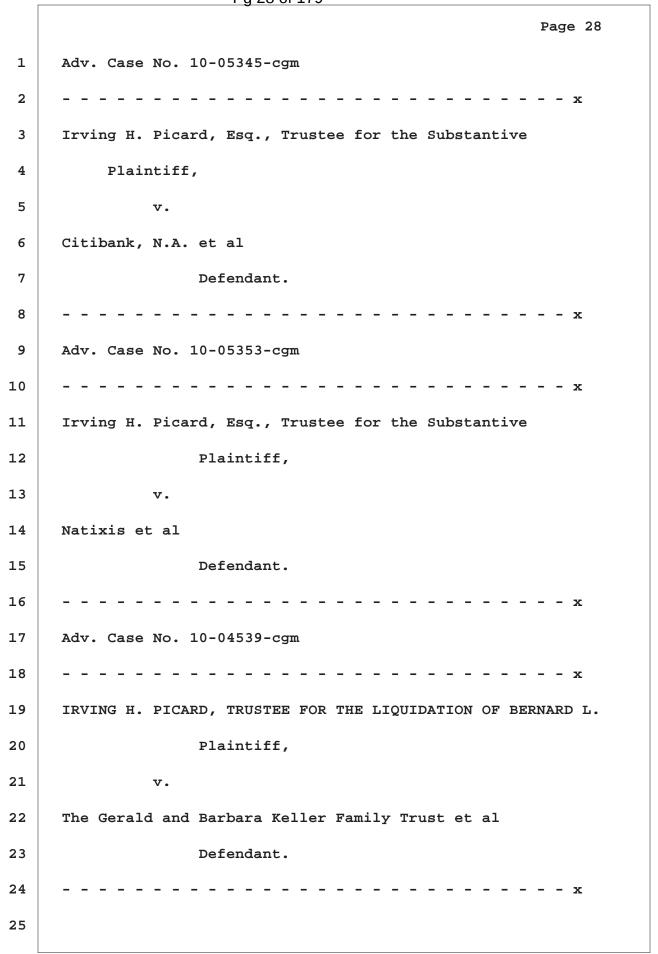


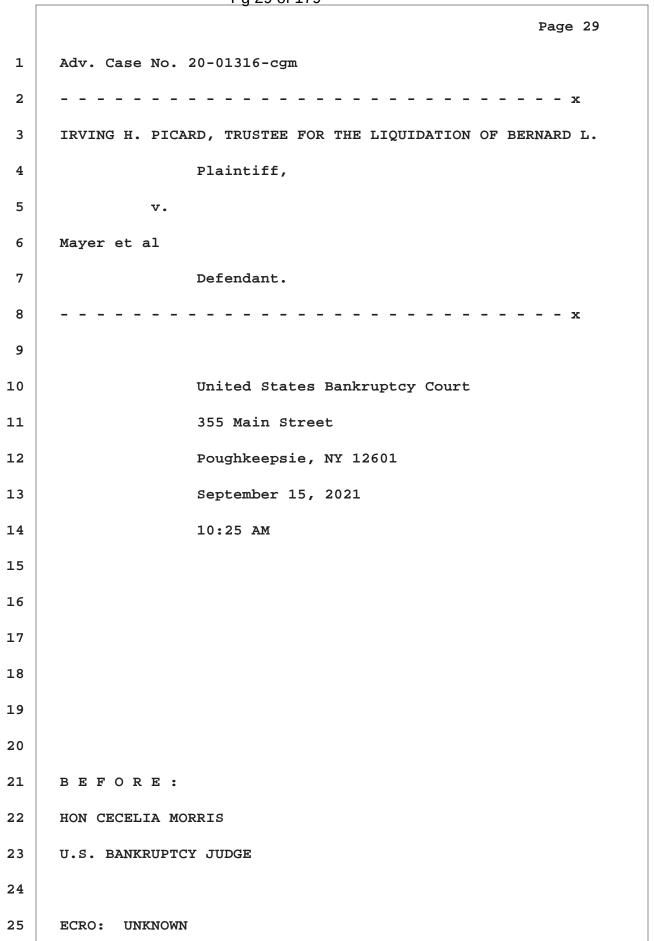












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Page 31 1 Hearing /Pre-Trial Conference (Adv. Pro. No. 10-05168 (CGM)) 2 filed by Nicholas Cremona on behalf of Irving H Picard Esq.. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at 3 4 Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) 5 6 HEARING re 08-01789-cgm Doc# 20687 Notice of Adjournment of 7 Hearing of Hearing re: Hearing on Trustees Motion to Strike 8 Defendants Answer (Adv. Pro. No. 10-05124) filed by Nicholas 9 Cremona on behalf of Irving H Picard Esq.. with hearing to 10 be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 11 (ZoomGov) (CGM) 12 13 HEARING re 10-04986-cgm Doc# 58 Notice of Hearing for 14 failure to submit order (related document(s)50) filed by 15 Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with 16 hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at 17 Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) 18 19 HEARING re 10-04986-cgm Doc. #50 Motion to Approve 20 /Memorandum of Law in Support of Trustee's Motion for 21 Limited Additional Discovery Based on Prior Orders 22 Authorizing Deposition of Bernard L. Madoff filed by Melissa Kosack on behalf of Irving H. Picard, Trustee for the 23 Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC 24 25 with hearing to be held on 10/31/2018 at 10:00 AM at

Page 32 1 Courtroom 723 (SMB) Responses due by 10/17/2018,. 2 (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A - Remaining Good Faith Actions # 3 2 Exhibit B - Cases Participating in Madoff's Deposition # 3 Exhibit C - Cases Not Participating in Madoff's Deposition # 4 5 4 Exhibit D - Cases with Open Fact Discovery # 5 Exhibit E -6 Cases with Closed Fact Discovery with CMOs # 6 Exhibit F -7 Cases with Served Expert Reports # 7 Exhibit G - Bongiorno 8 Rule 30 Order # 8 Exhibit H - Bonventre Rule 30 Order # 9 9 Exhibit I - Crupi Rule 30 Order # 10 Exhibit J - Main 10 Proposed Order # 11 Notice of Motion) (Kosack, Melissa) 11 HEARING re 10-05083-cgm Doc# 70 Notice of Hearing for 12 13 failure to submit order (related document(s)62) filed by 14 Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with 15 hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at 16 Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #62 Motion to Approve 17 /Memorandum of Law in Support of Trustee's Motion for 18 Limited Additional Discovery Based on Prior Orders 19 Authorizing Deposition of Bernard L. Madoff filed by Melissa 20 Kosack on behalf of Irving H. Picard, Trustee for 21 the Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities 22 LLC, and Bernard L. Madoff with hearing to be held on 10/31/2018 at 10:00 AM at Courtroom 723 (SMB) Responses due 23 24 by 10/17/2018. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A - Remaining Good 25 Faith Cases # 2 Exhibit B - Cases Participating in Madoff's

Page 33 1 Deposition # 3 Exhibit C - Cases Not Participating in 2 Madoff's Deposition # 4 Exhibit D - Cases with Open Fact 3 Discovery # 5 Exhibit E - Cases with Closed Fact Discovery with CMOs # 6 Exhibit F - Cases with Served Expert Reports # 4 5 7 Exhibit G - Bongiorno Rule 30 Order # 8 Exhibit H -6 Bonventre Rule 30 Order # 9 Exhibit I - Crupi Rule 30 Order 7 # 10 Exhibit J - Main Proposed Order # 11 Notice of Motion) (Kosack, Melissa) 8 9 *** HEARING re 10-05144-cgm Doc# 51 Notice of Hearing for 10 11 failure to submit order (related document(s)43) filed by 12 Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with 13 hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at 14 Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #43 Motion to Approve 15 /Memorandum of Law in Support of Trustee's Motion for 16 Limited Additional Discovery Based on Prior Orders 17 Authorizing Deposition of Bernard L. Madoff filed by David 18 J. Sheehan on behalf of Irving Picard with hearing to be held 19 on 10/31/2018 at 10:00 AM at Courtroom 723 (SMB) Responses 20 due by 10/17/2018,. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A - Remaining 21 Good Faith Cases # 2 Exhibit B - Cases Participating in Madoff's Deposition # 3 Exhibit C - Cases Not Participating 22 23 in Madoff's Deposition # 4 Exhibit D - Cases with Open Fact 24 Discovery # 5 Exhibit E - Cases with Closed Fact Discovery 25 with CMOs # 6 Exhibit F - Cases with Served Expert Reports #

Page 34 1 7 Exhibit G - Bongiorno Rule 30 Order # 8 Exhibit H -2 Bonventre Rule 30 Order # 9 Exhibit I - Crupi Rule 30 Order # 10 Exhibit J - Main Proposed Order # 11 Notice of Motion) 3 (Sheehan, David) 4 5 6 HEARING re 10-05348-cgm Doc# 118 Notice of Hearing on Status 7 Conference (related document(s)115) filed by Clerk of Court, 8 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 9 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #115 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 10 11 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3129. The 12 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 13 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 14 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)109, 113) 15 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 16 17 HEARING re 10-05351-cgm Doc# 138 Notice of Hearing on Status 18 Conference (related document(s)135) filed by Clerk of Court, 19 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 20 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 21 (CGM) Doc. #135 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 22 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3122. The 23 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 24 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 25 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)133, 129)

Page 35 1 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 2 HEARING re 11-02493-cgm Doc# 104 Notice of Hearing on Status 3 Conference (related document(s)101) filed by Clerk of Court, 4 5 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 6 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 7 (CGM) Doc. #101 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 8 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3059. The 9 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 10 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 11 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)95, 99) 12 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 13 14 HEARING re 11-02538 Doc# 102 Notice of Hearing on Status 15 Conference (related document(s)99) filed by Error: party not 16 known. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at 17 Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #99 Copy of Mandate 18 from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on 19 Appellate Case Number: 17-3032. The Court of Appeals VACATES 20 the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and 21 REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. 22 (related document(s)96, 92) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 23 24 HEARING re 11-02539-cgm Doc# 116 Notice of Hearing on Status 25 Conference (related document(s)112) filed by Clerk of Court,

Page 36 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #112 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3071. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)108, 104) (Rouzeau, Anatin) HEARING re 11-02540-cgm Doc# 104 Notice of Hearing on Status Conference (related document(s)101) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #101 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3106. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)95, 99) (Rouzeau, Anatin) HEARING re 11-02541-cgm Doc# 82 Notice of Hearing on Status Conference (related document(s)79) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov)

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Page 37 1 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3004. The 2 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 3 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 4 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)76, 72) 5 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 6 7 HEARING re 11-02542-cgm Doc# 88 Notice of Hearing on Status 8 Conference (related document(s)84) filed by Clerk of Court, 9 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 10 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 11 (CGM) Doc. #84 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 12 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3005. The 13 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 14 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)80, 76) 15 16 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 17 HEARING re 11-02551-cgm Doc# 94 Notice of Hearing on Status 18 19 Conference (related document(s)78) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 20 21 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 22 (CGM) Doc. #78 (Entered in Error. Wrong Adversary Case.) 23 Statement / Notice of Appeal (11-02551) filed by Thomas L. Long on behalf of Irving H. Picard, Trustee for the 24 25 Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC,

Page 38 1 and Bernard L. Madoff. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1 # 2 2 Exhibit 2 # 3 Exhibit 3 # 4 Exhibit 4) (Long, Thomas) 3 Modified on 3/22/2017 (Rouzeau, Anatin). 4 5 HEARING re 11-02553-cgm Doc# 108 Notice of Hearing on Status 6 Conference (related document(s)105) filed by Clerk of Court, 7 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 8 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 9 (CGM) Doc. #105 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 10 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3134. The 11 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 12 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 13 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)103, 99) 14 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 15 16 HEARING re 11-02554-cgm Doc# 102 Notice of Hearing on Status 17 Conference (related document(s)99) filed by Clerk of Court, 18 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 19 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 20 (CGM) Doc. #99 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 21 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3008. The 22 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 23 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 24 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)97, 93) 25 (Rouzeau, Anatin)

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HEARING re 11-02568-cgm Doc# 109 Notice of Hearing on Status Conference (related document(s)106) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #106 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3134. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)104, 100) (Rouzeau, Anatin)

HEARING re 11-02569-cgm Doc# 116 Notice of Hearing on Status Conference (related document(s)113) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #113 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3011. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)105, 109) (Rouzeau, Anatin)

HEARING re 11-02570-cgm Doc# 104 Notice of Hearing on Status
Conference (related document(s)101) filed by Clerk of Court,

Page 40 1 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 2 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 3 (CGM) Doc. #101 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 4 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3101. The 5 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 6 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 7 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)94, 99) 8 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 9 10 HEARING re 11-02572-cgm Doc# 126 Notice of Hearing on Status 11 Conference (related document(s)123) filed by Clerk of Court, 12 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 13 14 (CGM) Doc. #123 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 15 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3043. The 16 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 17 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 18 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)117, 121) 19 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 20 21 HEARING re 11-02573-cgm Doc# 108 Amended Notice of Hearing 22 on Status Conference (related document(s)104) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing 23 to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 24

(ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #104 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court

Page 41 1 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-2 3038. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy 3 courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for 4 further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related 5 document(s)102, 98) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 6 7 HEARING re 11-02730-cgm Doc# 96 Notice of Hearing on Status 8 Conference (related document(s)93) filed by Clerk of Court, 9 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 10 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 11 (CGM) Doc. #93 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 12 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3034. The 13 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 14 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 15 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)86, 90) 16 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 17 HEARING re 11-02731-cgm Doc# 100 Notice of Hearing on Status 18 Conference (related document(s)97) filed by Clerk of Court, 19 20 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 21 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 22 (CGM) Doc. #97 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 23 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3021. The 24 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 25 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings

Page 42 1 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)91, 95) 2 (Rouzeau, Anatin) Modified on 10/21/2020 (Rouzeau, Anatin). 3 HEARING re 11-02732-cgm Doc# 100 Notice of Hearing on Status 4 5 Conference (related document(s)97) filed by Clerk of Court, 6 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 7 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #97 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 8 9 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3021. The 10 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 11 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 12 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)91, 95) 13 (Rouzeau, Anatin) Modified on 10/21/2020 (Rouzeau, Anatin). 14 15 HEARING re 11-02733-cgm Doc# 93 Notice of Hearing on Status 16 Conference (related document(s)89) filed by Clerk of Court, 17 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 18 (CGM) Doc. #89 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 19 20 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3087. The 21 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 22 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 23 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)81, 87) 24 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 25

Page 43 1 HEARING re 11-02733-cqm Doc# 93 Notice of Hearing on Status 2 Conference (related document(s)89) filed by Clerk of Court, 3 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 4 5 (CGM) Doc. #89 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3087. The 7 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 8 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 9 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)81, 87) 10 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 11 12 HEARING re 11-02758-cgm Doc# 127 Notice of Hearing on Status 13 Conference (related document(s)124) filed by Clerk of Court, 14 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 15 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 16 (CGM) Doc. #124 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 17 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3025. The 18 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 19 20 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)117, 112) 21 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 22 HEARING re 11-02758-cgm Doc# 88 Notice of Hearing on Status 23 24 Conference (related document(s)85) filed by Clerk of Court, 25 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be

Page 44 1 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 2 (CGM) Doc. #85 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 3 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3044. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 4 5 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 6 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)83, 77) 7 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 8 9 HEARING re 11-02760-cgm Doc# 107 Notice of Hearing on Status 10 Conference (related document(s)104) filed by Clerk of Court, 11 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 12 13 (CGM) Doc. #104 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 14 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3862. The 15 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 16 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 17 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)75, 77) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 18 19 20 HEARING re 11-02761-cgm Doc# 98 Notice of Hearing on Status 21 Conference (related document(s)93) filed by Clerk of Court, 22 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 23 24 (CGM) Doc. #93 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 25 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3140. The

Page 45 1 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 2 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 3 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)87, 81) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 4 5 6 HEARING re 11-02762-cgm Doc# 95 Notice of Hearing RE: Status 7 Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued 8 on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3132. 9 The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 10 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 11 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)92) filed 12 by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. 13 With hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at 14 Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #92 Copy of Mandate 15 from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on 16 Appellate Case Number: 17-3132. The Court of Appeals VACATES 17 the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and 18 REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. 19 (related document(s)90, 85) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 20 21 HEARING re 11-02763-cgm Doc# 104 Notice of Hearing on Status 22 Conference (related document(s)101) filed by Clerk of Court, 23 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 24 25 (CGM) Doc. #101 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on

Page 46 1 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3136. The 2 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 3 4 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)95, 99) 5 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 6 7 HEARING re 11-02784-cgm Doc# 117 Notice of Hearing on Status 8 Conference (related document(s)114) filed by Clerk of Court, 9 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 10 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 11 (CGM) Doc. #114 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 12 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3102. The 13 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 14 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 15 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)105, 111) 16 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 17 HEARING re 11-02796-cgm Doc# 93 Notice of Hearing on Status 18 19 Conference (related document(s)90) filed by Clerk of Court, 20 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 21 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 22 (CGM) Doc. #90 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 23 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3069. The 24 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 25 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings

Page 47 1 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)81, 87) 2 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 3 HEARING re 11-02901-cgm Doc# 105 Notice of Hearing on Status 4 5 Conference (related document(s)101) filed by Clerk of Court, 6 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 7 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 8 (CGM) Doc. #101 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 9 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3040. The 10 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 11 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 12 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)98, 94) 13 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 14 15 HEARING re 11-02922-cgm Doc# 107 Notice of Hearing on Status 16 Conference (related document(s)102) filed by Clerk of Court, 17 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 18 (CGM) Doc. #102 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 19 20 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3019. The 21 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 22 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 23 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)97, 93) 24 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 25

Page 48 HEARING re 11-02923-cgm Doc# 115 Notice of Hearing on Status Conference (related document(s)112) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #112 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3067. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)108, 103) (Rouzeau, Anatin) HEARING re 11-02925-cgm Doc# 99 Notice of Hearing on Status Conference (related document(s)96) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #96 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3080. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)88, 92) (Rouzeau, Anatin) HEARING re 11-02929-cgm Doc# 90 Notice of Hearing on Status Conference (related document(s)87) filed by Clerk of Court,

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Page 50 1 (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #97 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 2 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3 3084. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for 4 5 further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related 6 document(s)95, 91) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 7 8 HEARING re 12-01005-cgm Doc# 91 Notice of Hearing RE: Status 9 Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued 10 on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)88) filed by Clerk of Court, 11 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 12 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 13 (CGM) Doc. #88 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 14 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3064. The 15 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 16 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 17 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)85, 80) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 18 19 20 HEARING re 12-01019-cgm Doc# 111 Notice of Hearing RE: 21 Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 22 issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)108) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing 23 to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 24

(ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #108 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court

Page 51 1 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-2 3054. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy 3 courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for 4 further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related 5 document(s)106, 102) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 6 7 HEARING re 12-01021-cgm Doc# 99 Notice of Hearing RE: Status 8 Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued 9 on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)96) filed by Clerk of Court, 10 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 11 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 12 (CGM) Doc. #96 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 13 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-2999. The 14 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 15 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 16 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)94, 90) 17 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 18 HEARING re 12-01022-cgm Doc# 105 Notice of Hearing RE: 19 20 Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 21 issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)102) filed by Clerk 22 of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 23 24 (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #102 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 25 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-

Pg 52 of 179 Page 52 1 3026. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy 2 courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for 3 further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related 4 document(s)99, 95) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 5 6 HEARING re 12-01023-cgm Doc# 113 Notice of Hearing RE: 7 Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 8 issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)110) filed by Clerk 9 of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing 10 to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 11 (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #110 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 12 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-13 3012. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy 14 courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for 15 further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related 16 document(s)101, 106) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 17 HEARING re 12-01046-cgm Doc# 107 Notice of Hearing RE: 18 19 Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 20 issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)104) filed by Clerk 21 of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing 22 to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #104 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 23 24 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-

3014. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts

Page 53 1 judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further 2 proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)97, 101) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 3 4 5 HEARING re 12-01047-cgm Doc# 100 Notice of Hearing RE: 6 Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 7 issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)96) filed by Clerk of 8 Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to 9 be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 10 (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #96 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 11 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-12 3016. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy 13 courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for 14 further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related 15 document(s)90, 94) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 16 17 HEARING re 12-01048-cgm Doc# 69 Notice of Hearing RE: Status 18 Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)65) filed by Clerk of Court, 19 20 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 21 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 22 (CGM) Doc. #65 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 23 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3144. The 24 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 25 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings

Page 54 1 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)61, 60) 2 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 3 HEARING re 12-011940cgm Doc# 69 Notice of Hearing RE: Status 4 5 Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued 6 on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)65) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 7 8 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 9 (CGM) Doc. #65 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 10 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3144. The 11 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 12 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 13 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)61, 60) 14 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 15 16 HEARING re 12-01195-cgm Doc# 112 Notice of Hearing RE: 17 Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 18 issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)109) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing 19 20 to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 21 (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #109 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 22 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-23 3020. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy 24 courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for 25 further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related

Page 55 1 document(s)101, 105) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 2 HEARING re 12-01202-cgm Doc# 107 Notice of Hearing RE: 3 Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 4 5 issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)104) filed by Clerk 6 of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing 7 to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #104 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 8 9 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-10 3068. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy 11 courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for 12 further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related 13 document(s)102, 97) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 14 15 HEARING re 12-01205-cgm Doc# 86 Notice of Hearing RE: Status 16 Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued 17 on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)82) filed by Clerk of Court, 18 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 19 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 20 (CGM) Doc. #82 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 21 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3074. The 22 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 23 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 24 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)76, 80)

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HEARING re 12-01207-cgm Doc# 82 Notice of Hearing RE: Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)79) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #79 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3033. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion.(related document(s)73, 77) (Rouzeau, Anatin)

HEARING re 12-01209-cgm Doc# 112 Notice of Hearing RE:

Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)105) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #105 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3003. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)98, 102) (Rouzeau, Anatin)

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HEARING re 12-01210-cgm Doc# 87 Notice of Hearing RE: Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)84) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #84 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3023. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)81, 77) (Rouzeau, Anatin) HEARING re 12-01211-cgm Doc# 95 Notice of Hearing RE: Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)92) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #92 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-2995. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)88, 84) (Rouzeau, Anatin) HEARING re 12-01216-cgm Doc# 111 Notice of Hearing RE:

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Page 58 Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)108) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #108 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3072. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)102, 106) (Rouzeau, Anatin) HEARING re 12-01512-cgm Doc# 97 Notice of Hearing RE: Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)91) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #91 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3075. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)88, 84) (Rouzeau, Anatin) HEARING re 12-015665-cgm Doc# 142 Notice of Hearing on

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Page 60 1 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 2 HEARING re 12-016690-cgm Doc# 82 Notice of Hearing RE: 3 Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 4 5 issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)79) filed by Clerk of 6 Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to 7 be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 8 (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #79 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 9 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-10 3041. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy 11 courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for 12 further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related 13 document(s)73, 77) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 14 15 HEARING re 12-01669-cgm Doc# 52 Notice of Hearing RE: Status 16 Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued 17 on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)49) filed by Clerk of Court, 18 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 19 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 20 (CGM) Doc. #49 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 21 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3042. The 22 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 23 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 24 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)42, 46) 25 (Rouzeau, Anatin)

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HEARING re 12-01670-cgm Doc# 52 Notice of Hearing RE: Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)49) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #49 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3042. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)42, 46) (Rouzeau, Anatin)

HEARING re 12-01676-cgm Doc# 82 Notice of Hearing RE: Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)79) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #79 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3091. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)76, 72) (Rouzeau, Anatin)

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1 HEARING re 12-01677-cgm Doc# 128 Notice of Hearing RE: 2 Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 3 issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)125) filed by Clerk 4 of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 5 6 (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #125 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 7 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-8 3047. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy 9 courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for 10 further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (Rouzeau, 11 Anatin) 12 13 HEARING re 12-01680-cgm Doc# 89 Notice of Hearing RE: Status 14 Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued 15 on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)86) filed by Clerk of Court, 16 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 17 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 18 (CGM) Doc. #86 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3050. The 19 20 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 21 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 22 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)80, 84) 23 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 24 25 HEARING re 12-01690-cgm Doc# 91 Notice of Hearing RE: Status

Page 63 1 Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued 2 on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)85) filed by Clerk of Court, 3 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 4 5 (CGM) Doc. #85 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 6 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3115. The 7 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 8 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 9 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)72, 76) 10 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 11 12 HEARING re 12-01693-cgm Doc# 83 Notice of Hearing RE: Status 13 Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued 14 on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)76) filed by Clerk of Court, 15 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 16 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 17 (CGM) Doc. #76 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 18 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-2992. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 19 20 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 21 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)69, 73) 22 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 23 HEARING re 12-01694-cgm Doc# 82 Notice of Hearing RE: Status 24 25 Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued

Page 64 1 on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)79) filed by Clerk of Court, 2 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 3 (CGM) Doc. #79 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 4 5 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-2996. The 6 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments 7 dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)72, 76) 8 9 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 10 11 HEARING re 12-01695-cgm Doc# 79 Notice of Hearing RE: Status 12 Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued 13 on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)76) filed by Clerk of Court, 14 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 15 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 16 (CGM) Doc. #76 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court issued on 17 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-3112. The 18 Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings 19 20 consistent with this opinion. (related document(s)69, 73) 21 (Rouzeau, Anatin) 22 HEARING re 12-01695-cgm Doc# 133 Notice of Hearing RE: 23 24 Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 25 issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)130) filed by Clerk

Page 65 1 of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing 2 to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #130 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 3 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-4 5 3065. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy 6 courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for 7 further proceedings consistent with this opinion. der 8 (related document(s)121, 125) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 9 10 HEARING re 12-01700-cgm Doc# 101 Notice of Hearing RE: 11 Status Conference on the Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 12 issued on 6/1/2020 (related document(s)98) filed by Clerk of 13 Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to 14 be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 15 (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #98 Copy of Mandate from Circuit Court 16 issued on 6/1/2020 Re: Appeal on Appellate Case Number: 17-17 3076. The Court of Appeals VACATES the bankruptcy 18 courts judgments dismissing these actions and REMAND for further proceedings consistent with this opinion. (related 19 20 document(s)90, 95) (Rouzeau, Anatin) 21 22 HEARING re 10-04538-cgm Doc# 97 Notice of Hearing for 23 failure to submit order (related document(s)89) filed by 24 Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with 25 hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at

Page 66 1 Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #89 Motion to Approve 2 /Memorandum of Law in Support of Trustee's Motion for Limited Additional Discovery Based on Prior Orders 3 Authorizing Deposition of Bernard L. Madoff filed by David 4 J. Sheehan on behalf of Irving H. Picard, Trustee for 5 6 the Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities 7 LLC, and Bernard L. Madoff. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A: 8 Remaining Good Faith Cases # 2 Exhibit B: 9 Cases Participating in Madoffs Deposition # 3 Exhibit C: 10 Cases Not Participating in Madoffs Deposition # 4 Exhibit D: 11 Cases with Open Fact Discovery # 5 Exhibit E: Cases with Closed Fact Discovery with CMOs # 6 Exhibit F: 12 13 Cases with Served Expert Reports # 7 Exhibit G: Bongiorno Rule 30 Order # 8 Exhibit H: Bonventre Rule 30 14 15 Order # 9 Exhibit I : Crupi Rule 30 O 16 17 HEARING re 10-04631-cgm Doc# 53 Notice of Hearing for failure to submit order (related document(s)44) filed by 18 19 Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with 20 hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at 21 Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #44 Motion to Approve 22 /Memorandum of Law in Support of Trustee's Motion for Limited Additional Discovery Based on Prior Orders 23 24 Authorizing Deposition of Bernard L. Madoff filed by David 25 J. Sheehan on behalf of Irving H. Picard trustee for

Page 67 the liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities 1 2 LLC with hearing to be held on 10/31/2018 at 10:00 AM at 3 Courtroom 723 (SMB) Responses due by 10/17/2018. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A: Remaining Good Faith Cases # 2 4 5 Exhibit B: Cases Participating in Madoff's Deposition # 3 Exhibit C: Cases Not Participating in Madoff's Deposition # 6 7 4 Exhibit D: Cases with Open Fact Discovery # 5 Exhibit E: Cases with Closed Fact Discovery with CMOs # 6 Exhibit F: 8 9 Cases with Served Expert Reports #7 Exhibit G: Bongiorno 10 Rule 30 Order # 8 Exhibit H: Bonventre Rule 30 Order # 9 11 Exhibit I: Crupi Rule 30 Order 12 13 HEARING re 10-04702-cgm Doc# 92 Notice of Hearing on Status 14 Conference (related document(s)88) filed by Clerk of Court, 15 United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be 16 held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) 17 (CGM) Doc. #88 Mediator's Final Report Settled Filed by 18 Allen G. Kadish on behalf of Allen G. Kadish. (Kadish, 19 Allen) 20 21 HEARING re 10-04702-cgm Doc# 84 Notice of Hearing for 22 failure to submit order (related document(s)76) filed by Clerk of Court, United States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with 23 hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at 24 25 Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) Doc. #76 Motion to Approve

Page 68 1 /Memorandum of Law in Support of Trustee's Motion for 2 Limited Additional Discovery Based on Prior Orders Authorizing Deposition of Bernard L. Madoff filed by David 3 J. Sheehan on behalf of Irving H. Picard, Trustee for 4 the Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities 5 6 LLC with hearing to be held on 10/31/2018 at 10:00 AM at 7 Courtroom 723 (SMB) Responses due by 10/17/2018,. 8 (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A: Remaining Good Faith Cases # 2 9 Exhibit B: Cases Participating in Madoffs Deposition # 3 10 Exhibit C: Cases Not Participating in Madoffs Deposition # 4 11 Exhibit D: Cases with Open Fact Discovery # 5 Exhibit E: 12 Cases with Closed Fact Discovery with CMOs # 6 Exhibit F: 13 Cases with Served Expert Reports # 7 Exhibit G: Bongiorno Rule 30 Order # 8 Exhibit H: Bonventre Rule 30 Order # 9 14 15 Exhibit I: Crupi Rule 30 Order # 10 Exhibit J: Main Proposed 16 Order # 11 Notice of Motion) (Sheehan, David) 17 HEARING re 10-05286-cgm Doc# 251 Notice of Hearing on the 18 19 Order of U.S. District Court Judge signed on 8/31/2021. 20 (related document(s)250) filed by Clerk of Court, United 21 States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 22 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) 23 Doc. #250 Order of U.S. Circuit Court Judge signed on 8/31/2021 (DuBois, Linda) Additional attachment(s) added on 24 25 8/31/2021 (DuBois, Linda).

Page 69 1 2 HEARING re 10-053450cgm Doc# 204 Notice of Hearing on the Order of U.S. District Court Judge signed on 8/31/2021. 3 (related document(s)203) filed by Clerk of Court, United 4 5 States Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 6 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) 7 Doc. #203 Order of U.S. Circuit Court Judge signed on 8 8/31/2021. (DuBois, Linda) Additional attachment(s) added on 9 8/31/2021 (DuBois, Linda). 10 11 HEARING re 10-053530-cgm Doc# 188 Notice of Hearing on Status Conference filed by Clerk of Court, United States 12 13 Bankruptcy Court, SDNY. with hearing to be held on 9/15/2021 14 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) 15 16 HEARING re 10-04539-cgm Doc# 110 Cross Motion for Summary 17 Judgment Notice of Defendants' Cross Motion 18 for Summary Judgment (related document(s)99) filed by Helen 19 Davis Chaitman on behalf of Barbara Keller, Gerald E. 20 Keller, The Gerald and Barbara Keller Family Trust 21 Doc# 111 Memorandum of Law Memorandum of Law in Opposition 22 to the Trustees Motion for Summary Judgment and in Support 23 of Defendants Cross-Motion for 24 Summary Judgment Dismissing the Complaint (related 25 document(s)110) filed by Helen Davis Chaitman on behalf of

Page 70 1 Barbara Keller, Gerald E. Keller, The Gerald and Barbara 2 Keller Family Trust. 3 Doc# 112 Response to Motion Opposition and Response to Trustees Statement of Material Facts, ECF no. 101 filed by 4 Helen Davis Chaitman on behalf of Barbara Keller, Gerald E. 5 6 Keller, The Gerald and Barbara Keller Family Trust. 7 Doc# 113 Counter Statement Counterstatement of Material 8 Facts in Opposition to the Trustees Motion for Summary 9 Judgment and in Support of Defendants Cross-Motion for Summary Judgment Dismissing the Complaint filed by Helen 10 11 Davis Chaitman on behalf of Barbara Keller, Gerald E. 12 Keller, The Gerald and Barbara Keller Family 13 Trust. 14 Doc# 99 Motion for Summary Judgment /Notice of Trustees 15 Motion for Summary Judgment filed by Nicholas Cremona on 16 behalf of Irving H. Picard, Trustee for the 17 Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC, 18 and Bernard L. Madoff with hearing to be held on 8/18/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM). 19 20 Doc# 119 Reply to Motion /Trustees Reply Memorandum of Law 21 in Further Support of Motion for Summary Judgment and 22 Opposition to Defendants Cross-Motion for Summary Judgment (Adv. Pro. No. 10-04539) filed by Nicholas Cremona on behalf 23 24 of Irving H Picard Esq.. 25 Doc# 124 Reply to Motion Defendants Reply Memorandum of Law

Page 71 1 in Further Support of Their Cross-Motion for Summary 2 Judgment Dismissing the Complaint (related document(s)110) 3 filed by Helen Davis Chaitman on behalf of Barbara Keller, Gerald E. Keller, The Gerald and Barbara Keller Family 4 5 Trust. 6 7 HEARING re 20-013160cgm Doc# 17 Motion to Dismiss Party 8 filed by Daniel Stuart Alter on behalf of KHRONOS LIQUID 9 OPPORTUNITIES FUND LTD. 10 11 HEARING re 20-01316-cgm Doc# 21 Motion to Dismiss Party / 12 Rafael Mayer filed by Eric Fisher on behalf of 13 Rafael Mayer with hearing to be held on 6/9/2021 at 09:00 AM 14 at Courtroom 621 (CGM - NYC) Responses due by 5/4/2021,. 15 Doc# 24 Motion to Dismiss Adversary Proceeding (Defendants 16 Prince Resources LDCs and Prince Capital Partners LLCS 17 Notice of Motion To Dismiss The Complaint) filed by Daniel H. Tabak on behalf of PRINCE CAPITAL PARTNERS 18 LLC,, PRINCE RESOURCES LDC. with hearing to be held on 19 20 6/9/2021 at 09:00 AM at Courtroom 621 (CGM - NYC) Responses 21 due by 5/4/2021, 22 Doc# 25 Motion to Dismiss Adversary Proceeding filed by Matthew M. Graham on behalf of David Mayer. with hearing to 23 be held on 6/9/2021 at 09:00 AM at 24 25 Teleconference Line (CourtSolutions) (CGM) Responses due by

Page 72 1 5/4/2021, 2 Doc# 77 Notice of Adjournment of Hearing re: Memorandum of Law (related document(s)17) filed by Daniel Stuart Alter on 3 behalf of KHRONOS LIQUID OPPORTUNITIES FUND LTD; hearing 4 5 not held and adjourned to 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at 6 Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) (DuBois, Linda). 7 Doc# 78 Notice of Adjournment of Hearing re: Reply 8 Memorandum of Law of Rafael Mayer in Support of His Motion 9 to Dismiss the Complaint (related document(s)21) filed by 10 Eric Fisher on behalf of Rafael Mayer; hearing not held and 11 adjourned to 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 12 (ZoomGov) (CGM) (DuBois, Linda). 13 Doc# 79 Notice of Adjournment of Hearing re: Reply Memorandum of Law of Defendants Prince Resources LDC and 14 15 Prince Capital Partners LLC in Support of Their 16 Motion to Dismiss the Complaint (related document(s)24) 17 filed by Daniel H. Tabak on behalf of PRINCE CAPITAL 18 PARTNERS LLC,, PRINCE RESOURCES LDC; hearing not held and 19 adjourned to 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 20 (ZoomGov) (CGM) (DuBois, Linda). 21 Doc# 80 Notice of Adjournment of Hearing re: Reply to Motion 22 Defendant David Mayers Reply Memorandum of Law in Further 23 Support of Motion to Dismiss the Complaint (related document(s)25) filed by Matthew M. Graham on behalf of David 24 25 Mayer; hearing not held and adjourned to 9/15/2021 at 10:00

1 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) (DuBois, Linda). 2 Doc# 81 Notice of Adjournment of Hearing re: Declaration of Alexander Potts QC in Support of Individual Defendants 3 Motions to Dismiss (related document(s)21) filed by Doc# 21 4 Motion to Dismiss Party / Rafael Mayer filed by Eric Fisher 5 6 on behalf of Rafael Mayer with hearing to be held on 7 6/9/2021 at 09:00 AM at Courtroom 621 (CGM - NYC) Responses due by 5/4/2021,. Eric Fisher on behalf of Rafael Mayer; 8 9 hearing not held and adjourned to 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) (DuBois, Linda). 10 11 Doc# 82 Notice of Adjournment of Hearing re: Opposition 12 Brief /Trustees Memorandum of Law in Opposition to Motion to 13 Dismiss by Prince Resources LDC and Prince Capital Partners 14 LLC (related document(s)24) filed by Oren Warshavsky on 15 behalf of Irving Picard, as Trustee for the Liquidation of 16 Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC.; hearing not 17 held and adjourned to 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at 18 Videoconference (ZoomGov) (CGM) (DuBois, Linda). Doc# 84 Notice of Adjournment of Hearing re: Opposition 19 20 Brief /Trustees Memorandum of Law in Opposition to Khronos 21 Liquid Opportunities Fund, Ltds Motion to Dismiss (related 22 document(s)17) filed by Oren Warshavsky on behalf of 23 Irving Picard, as Trustee for the Liquidation of Bernard L. 24 Madoff Investment Securities LLC .; hearing not held and 25 adjourned to 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference

Page 74 1 (ZoomGov) (CGM) (DuBois, Linda). 2 Doc# 83 Notice of Adjournment of Hearing re: Opposition Brief /Trustees Memorandum of Law in Opposition to Motions 3 4 to Dismiss By Rafael Mayer and David Mayer (related 5 document(s)21, 25) filed by Oren Warshavsky on behalf of 6 Irving Picard, as Trustee for the Liquidation of Bernard L. 7 Madoff Investment Securities LLC.; hearing not held and adjourned to 9/15/2021 at 10:00 AM at Videoconference 8 9 (ZoomGov) (CGM) (DuBois, Linda). 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 Transcribed by: Sonya Ledanski Hyde

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1 PROCEEDINGS 2 THE COURT: Adversary Proceeding 08-01789, Securities Investment Protection Corp. -- is that the one 3 I'm on? Yes. This is -- this is the in general, I believe 4 5 -- I'm sorry. I skipped down. Give me a moment, please. 6 The calendar is really so big, I have a -- I struggle 7 keeping up with it on the computer. If it's on paper, I 8 could easily thumb through it. But that just shows my age. 9 Yes. This is the -- this is the Securities 10 Investor Protection in the Bernie Madoff securities --11 Securities Investor Protection v. Bernard Madoff, In re 12 Bernie Madoff, Adversary Proceeding 08-01789. And this is 13 the status conference on what is coming before us, I 14 believe. State your name and affiliation. 15 MR. CREMONA: Good morning, Your Honor. This is 16 Nicholas Cremona, of Baker & Hostetler, appearing on behalf 17 of Irving Picard, as Trustee. I have a few of my colleagues 18 here with me this morning, and we're prepared to present the status report that we filed on Friday, if that's acceptable 19 20 to Your Honor. 21 THE COURT: Absolutely. And I have it in front of 22 And let everyone put their name on the record, or you 23 can put it on for them. 24 MS. NEVILLE: Good morning, Your Honor.

Carol Neville, on behalf of S&L Partnership.

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Page 81 1 THE COURT: That is not the case I'm on yet, Ms. 2 Neville, I don't believe. Yes, it is. 3 MS. NEVILLE: It's on -- it's on that strap list 4 (ph), Your Honor. 5 THE COURT: Okay. Pardon me, Ms. Neville. 6 MR. CALVANI: Good morning, Your Honor. My name is Torello Calvani. I'm an attorney at Baker Hostetler, on 7 8 behalf of the Trustee. 9 THE COURT: Very good. Yeah. I just called about a hundred cases, I understand. Thank you. 10 11 MR. GOTTRIDGE: Your Honor -- I'm sorry. Your 12 Honor, good morning. It's Marc Gottridge, from Hogan 13 Lovells, on behalf of the Barclays defendants in these 14 cases, and I may have a comment to make or a suggestion to 15 make after the Trustee's counsel presents based on what 16 we've seen in the status report. 17 THE COURT: Certainly, and I'm glad to hear from 18 everybody on this. Very good. Anyone else wish to put 19 their name on the record? 20 MR. FEIL: Your Honor, Matthew Feil, from Baker 21 Hostetler, on behalf of the Trustee. 22 MR. SIMON: Good morning, Your Honor. This is 23 Howard Simon, from Windels Marx, as special counsel to the Trustee on certain of the matters on for the status 24 25 conference.

THE COURT: Okay.

MR. DUDA: Good morning, Your Honor. Justin Duda, from Young Conaway Stargatt & Taylor, as complex counsel for Irving Picard in certain of the matters before Your Honor today.

THE COURT: Very good. Anyone else wish to put their name on the record? Okay. Mr. Carmona, let's go through what we've got. I've got your letter. I mean, excuse me, your status conference report. And this is all - a lot of this has to do with the fact that the Second Circuit overruled Judge Rakoff.

MR. CREMONA: Yes, Your Honor. Again, this is
Nicholas Cremona, Baker & Hostetler, appearing on behalf of
the Trustee. That is certainly a good portion of the
Trustee's status report and what we intend to present to
Your Honor this morning. As you saw, we filed our status
report which is located at ECF Number 20740 initially in
response to the Court's scheduling of multiple status
conferences in numerous adversary proceedings across the
categories of the remaining cases.

You know, unless at the outset Your Honor has any specific questions about any particular case scheduled for conference, my colleagues and I will plan to provide the Court with a general update on each category of cases, the progress and developments since we last appeared before Your

Honor, most importantly, as you note, the decision from the Second Circuit overruling Judge Rakoff's decision and then getting into the current posture of the cases and how we expect the cases to proceed before the Court over the next several months.

THE COURT: Right. And there are the defendants' attorney that would like to weigh in on these things. So

I'm pleased with that. Go ahead. We can follow your report, if that's easier for everyone.

MR. CREMONA: That would be my suggestion, Your Honor. And with that, I will start with the good faith cases that remain before the Court if that's acceptable.

THE COURT: It is with me.

MR. CREMONA: I am pleased to report to Your Honor that we have resolved 20 additional good faith cases by way of litigation through judgment or settlement since our last status conference in March. As we stated in the report and detailed on Exhibit A, we have 44 remaining cases. Of those 44, the Court noticed nine cases for status conference today.

Unless Your Honor has specific questions about those nine cases, I can generally report that those cases are either in settlement discussions, ongoing mediations or ripe for summary judgment. In the event that we are unable to consensually resolve the remaining good faith cases, we

expect to bring motions for summary judgment before the

Court on a monthly or semimonthly basis over the next

several months, consistent with the permission Your Honor

granted to the parties at the March 17th conference and the

law of the case as most recently articulated in Your Honor's

July 2 decision in the Stanley Miller case.

I would also point out, consistent with Your

Honor's direction on March 17, we have indicated on Exhibit

A to our report which of the 44 remaining cases are

currently pending before the District Court or the Court of

Appeals. As I'm sure Your Honor noted, there are nine

proceedings currently before the District Court with pending

motions to withdraw the reference or summary judgment

motions.

One case is on appeal, and that is the appeal of Your Honor's Epstein decision which is now pending and fully briefed before Judge McMahon. One case is on appeal at the circuit and that's the appeal of Judge Koeltl's summary judgment decision in favor of the Trustee, and that matter will be fully briefed by mid-November.

THE COURT: Okay.

MR. CREMONA: Absent any questions Your Honor may have about those cases or the remaining good faith cases, there's one correction to Exhibit A that I need to make on the record, if that's acceptable. With respect to the

Page 85 151797 Canada Inc. case, which is Adversary --1 THE COURT: Okay. I'm sorry. You're going to 2 3 have to point me to where you are. MR. CREMONA: I am on Exhibit A to the report. 4 5 THE COURT: Okay. MR. CREMONA: And it's one of the cases that is 6 7 indicated to be on for today's conference. 8 THE COURT: Right. 9 MR. CREMONA: On page one of Exhibit A, and it's 10 Adversary --11 THE COURT: I have it. I have it now. 12 MR. CREMONA: Okay. Adversary Proceeding Number 13 10-4631. As Your Honor will see there, the Trustee 14 inadvertently referenced Judith and Samuel Pisar as active 15 defendants. They should not have been included, as they 16 were both dismissed from the case by stipulation on the 17 relevant docket and counsel for the defendants pointed that 18 out. And I just wanted to make that correction on the record, and we'll certainly correct the reports going 19 20 forward to reflect that. 21 THE COURT: Excellent. Okay. 22 MR. CREMONA: With that, Your Honor, unless you 23 have any particular questions on the good faith matters, I will turn matters over to my colleague, Torello Calvani, to 24 25 provide an update on the subsequent transfer cases.

THE COURT: Very good. Please.

MR. CREMONA: Thank you, Your Honor.

MR. CALVANI: Again, Your Honor, my name is

Torello Calvani. I'm an attorney at Baker Hostetler. I

would like to briefly discuss a couple of points raised in

the Trustee's status report filed on Friday, September 10th

and answer any questions Your Honor may have about recent

proceedings or next steps in the subsequent transfer cases.

THE COURT: Okay.

MR. CALVANI: As an overview, the Trustee has 80 cases against defendants who allegedly received subsequent transfers of customer property from Madoff's feeder funds, and 70 of these cases have been noticed for today's conference. The Trustee's cases primarily seek to recover transfers from the Fairfield funds, certain Tremont funds and the fund Harley International.

Most of these cases were dismissed following the District Court's and this Court's prior rulings on extraterritoriality and international comity. However in 2019 the Second Circuit reversed those decisions and, in 2020, these cases returned to this Court. Upon the cases' return, the Trustee attempted to move forward in a couple of cases.

In two proceedings, the Trustee sought to amend his complaints. Each defendant responded with a motion --

with a motion to stay proceedings pending a decision from the Second Circuit on the issue of good faith in the Citibank and Legacy Capital appeals, and in each proceeding the Court granted a stay. In light of the stays, the Trustee did not make any further motions to amend at the time.

As much as the Trustee wanted to move forward, we understood that defendants would resist and likely receive a stay until the Second Circuit decided the good faith issue in the Citibank and Legacy Capital appeal. We now of course have that decision from the Second Circuit. On August 30th, the Second Circuit issued its decision in Citibank and Legacy Capital.

The Second Circuit held that the good faith defense under Section 548(c) and Section 550(b) is governed by an inquiry notice standard, and that the Trustee does not have the burden of pleading a transferee's lack of good faith.

The Second Circuit also vacated the District

Court's decision from 2014 that announced the willful

blindness standard and this Court's prior decisions in

Citibank and Legacy Capital which applied the District

Court's willful blindness standard. Neither Citibank nor

Legacy Capital have petitioned for panel rehearing or en

banc review. That deadline passed on Monday, September

13th.

Consequently I would expect that the mandate would issue in the Citibank and Legacy Capital proceedings by Monday, September 20th, unless of course either Citibank or Legacy Capital move to stay the mandate pending cert petition to the Supreme Court.

I would like to talk briefly about next steps in these cases. In light of the Second Circuit's decision, the subsequent transfer complaints on file state a claim for recovery under Section 550(b). The Trustee has pled that BLMIS, in furtherance of a Ponzi scheme, made avoidable transfers of customer property to the feeder funds and that the funds subsequently transferred this property to defendants.

Consequently the Trustee intends to move forward in these cases. It's been ten years, and defendants still have not answered the complaints. Our concern here is prejudice. Given the passage of time since Madoff's arrest, further delay will only hinder the Trustee's ability to rebut any purported good faith defense.

So over the coming month, the Trustee plans to meet and confer with counsel for each of the subsequent transfer defendants to discuss a date by which the defendants will response to the Trustee's complaints and moving these cases forward into discovery. In approximately

15 cases, the Trustee will also seek consent from the defendants or leave from the Court by motion to amend the Trustee's previously filed complaints based on information now available. Here the Trustee may seek to add additional transfers that defendants received from the feeder funds or, in certain cases, the Trustee may seek to add or substitute a new defendant in under Rule 15.

Finally after meeting and conferring with counsel for the individual defendants, we plan to update the Court on the outcome of those meetings. But we expect that the individual cases will proceed on their own schedules going forward. And unless Your Honor has any questions, that's the status report on the Trustee's subsequent transfer cases that were noticed for today's conference.

THE COURT: Very good. Does someone wish to be heard?

MR. GOTTRIDGE: Yes, Your Honor. It's Marc

Gottridge again. Just to be clear, I represent the Barclays

defendants in the Adversary Proceeding 11-02569. There are

three defendants. They're all Barclays affiliates. And

just to be clear, I am speaking on behalf of those

defendants. I am not presuming to speak on behalf of other

defendants, where defendants' counsel may agree or disagree

with what I'm going to say. Our clients are in the --

THE COURT: Would you please give me the case

numbers on those, please?

MR. GOTTRIDGE: Yes. It's all one -- there are three defendants that are named in Adversary Proceeding 11-02569.

THE COURT: Excellent. I have it. Thank you.
Yes.

MR. GOTTRIDGE: Okay. Thank you, Your Honor. So, and this is one of the so-called subsequent transfer cases. So in general I think there are two points that are made by counsel for the Trustee in paragraph 14 of the status report. One has to do with the Trustee's desire to amend his pleadings in certain of the cases. I have nothing to comment about that. I think it's obviously entirely up to the Trustee to decide whether he would like to amend or seek leave to amend where he needs to seek leave to amend. And I'm not proposing to intrude upon that process.

But I do have a concern that there may be a more efficient way to approach the next steps in these cases than the Trustee has proposed. So I would like to suggest a tweak that might make things a bit more streamlined, a bit more efficient.

The concern I have is really with the part of paragraph 14, and it was repeated again by counsel for the Trustee today, that what they'd like to do is go out and have separate meet-and-confers with counsel for each of what

I think is up to 80 defendants to discuss a date by which the defendants will respond to the Trustee's complaints.

And the response under the Federal Rules could be either a motion to dismiss or an answer.

It seems to me that it's not the most efficient way to proceed to potentially have as many as 80 different schedules in cases which are largely very similar. They're based on the same legal theory. And the pleading is likely to be, based on what we've seen already, and I don't mean this in a pejorative sense at all, kind of cookie cutter complaints where the elements are being pleaded in the same way.

Obviously the dollar amounts are different, and the dates may be different. But essentially these are very much mirror image cases. And they're up to 80 of them. And it seems that it wouldn't be efficient really to have different cases with different response dates where it wouldn't be all that difficult to come up wit ha system where we could have simply one schedule as opposed to 80 schedules.

So what I would propose is this, Your Honor.

First of all, with respect to the amendments and all, I

think that the Trustee should take whatever time they need
to do whatever amending they need to do or whatever motions

for leave to amend they feel they need to do and then advise

all defendants and advise the Court of the date by which the Trustee will have completed the amendment process. And I think in fairness to the defendants and to the Court, once these amendments are done, once that date's passed, there should be no further amendments of the pleadings in the subsequent transfer cases.

And then I would suggest that a group of defendants' counsel should meet and confer with the Trustee and his counsel on what would be a reasonable amount of time from that date, measured from that date, for a response date. And to the extent there will be motion practice, motions to dismiss, we can propose, as Your Honor spoke about earlier this morning in the connection -- in connection with different cases, we can then propose to the Court briefing schedules for those motions.

But I think that it's more efficient to have a single response date off of which we can pivot and come up with a single briefing schedule.

THE COURT: So you're telling me that I need to be hearing 80 individual defendants at one time. But also you're trying to -- you said they can't do an amendment.

The Federal Rules of Civil Procedure even allow amendments after judgment. So that's off the table.

MR. GOTTRIDGE: No. Yeah. I didn't mean in the sense that they can't do it. But I just think it should --

Page 93 1 the Court and the defendants should know what the operative 2 pleading in that we're responding to. That's all. THE COURT: I think it would be your client. 3 MR. GOTTRIDGE: Well, I think we'd need to see if 4 5 there's an amendment. If it's been amended, then obviously 6 that's the operative pleading. But if there hasn't been an 7 amendment, we need to know --8 THE COURT: Well, we have the complaint. 9 MR. GOTTRIDGE: Uh-huh. 10 THE COURT: Then they have to decide on it. I 11 mean, it's the same thing as we're doing before. It sounds 12 like there's a bit of trying to lump. And you may say 13 they're cookie cutter. But by in large, it is a cookie 14 cutter type of proceeding right now. Bu each one of those 15 have individual issues. 16 MR. GOTTRIDGE: Well, they may. They may, Your 17 Honor. But they also I think are going to have common 18 issues, and I think that there's no prejudice to the Trustee 19 from proceeding the way I'm proposing, and it actually may 20 help the Trustee, it may help the Court and it may help the 21 defendants because if it turns out --22 THE COURT: I don't know that it helps us because 23 I think you just heard me on the letters before, and that 24 ends up not helping me --25 MR. GOTTRIDGE: No, no --

1 THE COURT: -- because your clients are unique. 2 Let's just give a little history to me for two seconds, and most of you know this. Most of my case is a consumer 3 caseload. I have 300 matters on my calendars often. I will 4 5 tell you we pay attention individually to those 300 matters. 6 And sure, I think there's a possibility you could lump sum 7 together because all the facts would be similar. But that's 8 for the two of you to come up with. Mr. Cremona, did I speak or -- answer the -- I 9 10 thought we had it that you would answer the complaint or you 11 would move to dismiss. Mr. Cremona, what am I missing? 12 MR. CREMONA: Well, I will defer to my colleague, 13 Mr. Calvani. But --14 THE COURT: Mr. Calvani. I'm sorry. 15 MR. CALVANI: That's fine, Your Honor. 16 What we proposed would be to meet and confer with the 17 defendants on an individual basis. 18 THE COURT: Always. Always. 19 MR. CALVANI: And then come up with schedules in 20 the individual cases for the defendants to answer or file a 21 responsive pleading. What I've taken from Mr. Gottridge, I 22 understand what he's setting forth. My concern however is that the cases will only 23 move as fast as the slowest case. And so it would not be 24 25 expeditious. And what I heard from Your Honor in the

conference in the Fairfield Sentry matter was that each defendant may have different facts or issues that should be dealt with on an individual case-by-case basis. That's what I believe Your Honor said, and I think it holds true in this case as well.

I also think that we are running out of common issues that can be dealt with on some sort of a consolidated basis. We've had consolidated briefing in this case on Stern v. Marshall, antecedent debt, the safe harbor under Section 546(e), the meaning of the term avoided under Section 550(a), international comity, the extraterritorial reach and application of the Bankruptcy Code and, more recently, good faith under Section 548(c) and 550(b).

Litigation over these common issues has taken, you know, ten years. And we're essentially where we are today.

And I think the defendants -- I just don't see any remaining common issues that should be dealt with on some sort of a class-wide or defendant-wide consolidated basis. So that would be my initial response to the defendants.

But again, what we are proposing is to meet and confer with Mr. Gottridge to discuss his cases and, you know, we are obviously open to listen. So we want to coordinate this in a fashion that doesn't waste any party or judicial resources.

THE COURT: Right. That's sort of where I am too.

Page 96 1 I can't say -- I mean, all the big issues have been 2 resolved. We've been 13 years on this. We've got -- we need the individual briefing, and I need -- but I will leave 3 4 it to the plaintiffs to set it up in such a way as we can 5 have them staggered in. Mr. Lavine, you turned your light 6 on. Did you wish to say something? 7 MR. LAVINE: Yes, Your Honor. Thank you. I 8 represent defendants in three adversaries. Happy to give 9 you the numbers --10 THE COURT: Please. 11 MR. LAVINE: -- although my question doesn't 12 relate to any particular one. 13 THE COURT: Well, let's just make sure the record 14 reflects who you're representing. That's what I want. 15 MR. LAVINE: The defendants in 11-2149 --16 THE COURT: Okay. 17 MR. LAVINE: -- 11-2553 and 11-2731. 18 THE COURT: Thank you. MR. LAVINE: Does the Court wish to provide 19 20 guidance here in the manner that it did in the Fairfield 21 cases, that personal jurisdiction issues should be briefed 22 and decided first before proceeding on briefing on any 23 12(b)(6) motions or should they be -- as opposed to having all 12(b)(2) and 12(b)(6) motions combined? 24 25 THE COURT: Well, I want everything moved under

- the Rules of Federal -- the Federal Rules of Civil

 Procedure. And the plaintiffs need to make them. And

 honestly we'll do them individually and then, when they're

 done, when they've made their move, when they've made their

 motion, then you have a chance to reply to it.
- MR. LAVINE: Your Honor, I think the defendants are going to be making the motions, and my question is whether you want us to separate out any personal jurisdiction objections from merits objections, as you're doing in the Fairfield cases.
- THE COURT: Just make it all in one motion.
- MR. LAVINE: Thank you, Your Honor.
- 13 THE COURT: So, right. Right.
 - MR. GOTTRIDGE: Your Honor, just -- if I may jut briefly, Marc Gottridge again, and I just want to make sure that I wasn't misunderstood. The idea that we had about trying to reduce the number of response dates is that there may well be common issues that still remain, and to the extent that there are, I think it would be better if instead of the Court receiving 20, 30, 40 or up to 80 briefings on it, if we can get together a group or subgroups and consolidate that briefing on those issues, that would be beneficial to the Trustee, to the defendants and to the Court. That's all I was suggesting. I did --

MR. GOTTRIDGE: I did think that -- I do

appreciate what Mr. Calvani said, that it sounds like the

Trustee is willing to, you know, consider streamlining and

rationalizing through this meet-and-confer process. And we,

and I'm sure some of the other defendants, would be happy to

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THE COURT: Okay. I just want to say something to you. I don't think you heard me. I have a consumer caseload. And I often have 300 matters on. I will tell you almost every single one of those have the same issue. But they're individuals. Their service is individual. Their discovery is individual. Their needs are individual. And that's how I feel about these cases. You've got 80 cases here. each one of those to me are separate cases.

Certainly there might be things that match. If you all decide that you want to have those returnable on the same day so that I can make a ruling in one and it goes to the other, that's fine with me.

But I want them individual, and I want the individual brief. If it means you're doing a cookie cutter response, if it means you're doing a cookie cutter motion, okay. I do that 300 days out of the year. But in the end, your client is not the same as Mr. Lavine's client and your clients do not have the same issues. It may be the same set of facts pretty much and it may be the same set of

circumstances.

But in the end, I've got to make a decision, and I want to make a decision on your client. And I'm really truly -- looking at all the cases I've done so far, and I'm still learning it, so bear with me, all the cases is the "big lump" issues have been dealt with. We are now down to what does your client say was the issue in your case or his case or her case.

So, and you may get a cookie cutter decision and 11-0256 may end up being the same decision that's in 11-02149 by in large. But we will also gear it to that client. And so we're hoping everybody gets heard. That's the issue. So have I been muddy -- did I muddy the waters enough?

MR. GOTTRIDGE: I understand, Your Honor. I understand what you're saying. Thank you.

THE COURT: Very good. Now we have the good faiths. So that's the active good faith. Does that take -- now we have the subsequent transferee cases, correct? And those were Mr. Levine had addressed three -- two of those.

MR. GOTTRIDGE: And Your Honor, my case was also - this is Marc Gottridge again. It was also a subsequent
transferee.

THE COURT: Transferee. Okay. Okay. So continuing on with the report, the status conference report.

I will get more and more familiar as we go along. I will

even remember your clients at some point.

MR. CALVANI: Yes, Your Honor. Torello Calvani again, on behalf of the Trustee, for the status report filed on Friday, I think we have nothing further to say on either the good faith cases or the subsequent transfer cases.

I'm happy to answer any questions about individual cases. But I think by in large until we meet and confer with the defendants' counsel, that concludes the report, and we can follow the -- either the calendar on the website or the notice of agenda filed by the Trustee.

THE COURT: No. The calendar on the website.

MR. CALVANI: Yes, Your Honor.

THE COURT: Make sure they match. Mr. Cremona, I believe that we had some motions that we don't have orders on yet. Have you looked into that?

MR. CREMONA: Yes, Your Honor. Again, Nicholas
Cremona, of Baker & Hostetler, appearing on behalf of the
Trustee. I can clarify that now on the record. I saw that
a number, I believe eight of the nine good faith cases that
were scheduled for conference today related to an order that
was not entered on the docket related to the Trustee's
motion for additional limited discovery. And I can get you
that docket number.

THE COURT: Okay.

MR. CREMONA: Just bear with me one second.

Page 101 1 THE COURT: And that's the only one you think is 2 outstanding? I thought we had about nine outstanding. MR. CREMONA: Well, I was just going to refer to 3 the motion which was filed -- excuse me -- it's Docket 4 Number 18015. And if -- I would direct Your Honor to 5 6 Exhibit C of that motion, excuse me, which listed the cases 7 that did not participate in Madoff's deposition. 8 And just let me back up. The Trustee filed that 9 motion after Bernard Madoff was deposed in approximately 90 10 or so good faith cases that were pending at the time. On 11 Exhibit C to that motion, we listed the cases that did not 12 participate in Mr. Madoff's deposition. 13 So therefore they were carved out of the relief 14 sought, and that is why no order addressing that motion was 15 entered in all of the dockets in the cases that Your Honor 16 scheduled. The only one where it was addressed was the S&L 17 Partnership case. And in fact the order was entered on that docket. So I think --18 19 THE COURT: Okay. So on those that you didn't, 20 it's withdrawn as to those? 21 MR. CREMONA: It is, Your Honor, and it was never 22 relevant to them in that they were carved out specifically on Exhibit C of the motion. 23 24 THE COURT: Okay. So we will enter withdrawn on 25 those, on those. Be in touch with chambers and let's get

Page 102 1 that taken care of. As many of you notice, I try to keep a 2 very clean docket so that -- I call it the hit by a bus 3 syndrome. If I get hit by a bus or you get hit by a bus, the docket is clean. 4 5 MR. CREMONA: Understood, Your Honor. We will 6 certainly make that clarification and coordinate with 7 chambers. 8 THE COURT: Okay. Because for every case that we 9 don't have an order, we're going to put it on withdrawn --10 what you've just said on the record. But you need to get 11 with chambers to make sure. Okav. 12 MR. CREMONA: Understood. 13 THE COURT: Good. Thank you. Thank you, thank you, thank you. All right, everyone. Ms. Neville, do you 14 15 have anything you wish to add since I cut you off twice? 16 MS. NEVILLE: No, Your Honor. May I be excused? 17 THE COURT: Of course you may. 18 MS. NEVILLE: Thank you. THE COURT: We're moving to the next matter that I 19 20 don't believe you're involved with anyway. 21 MS. NEVILLE: Thank you. 22 THE COURT: Anyone else? Very good. 23 MAN 1: Yes, Your Honor. May any of us drop off 24 on these next matters --25 THE COURT: Please. Yes, of course.

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Page 103 1 MAN 1: -- as they go. 2 THE COURT: Because this is -- this is a whole 3 different matter. So thank you. Thanks, everyone. Have a good day. 4 5 MAN 1: Thank you. 6 THE COURT: And for you that are celebrating Yom 7 Kippur, I hope you have an easy fast. Case Number 10-04539, 8 Bernie Madoff v. The Irving Picard, Trustee v. the Gerald 9 and Barbara Keller matter. 10 Wait. I have another one first. Excuse me. 10-11 04986, Irving Picard as Trustee v. Knee. This is Trustee's 12 motion for limited additional discovery. I just did all of 13 those. Never mind. I apologize. That's part of the entire 14 docket. Sometimes it would be easier to do the agenda. But 15 the agenda doesn't match my docket. So, but I believe we 16 are -- Mr. Cremona, are we not on 10-04539? 17 MR. CREMONA: We are, Your Honor. Again, Nicholas 18 Cremona, Baker & Hostetler, appearing on behalf of the 19 This is the Trustee's motion for summary judgment 20 in the Keller matter. And I'm going to hand off this matter 21 to my colleague, Marie Carlisle, who's handling the argument 22 of the Trustee's motion. 23 THE COURT: Very good. Ms. Carlisle, state your name and affiliation. 24

MS. CARLISLE: Certainly. Marie Carlisle, of

Page 104 1 Baker Hostetler, appearing on behalf of the Trustee, Irving 2 Picard. THE COURT: And for the Gerald and Barbara Keller 3 Family Trust and Gerald Keller, individually and trustee of 4 5 the Gerald and Barbara Keller Family Trust and Barbara 6 Keller, individually and in her capacity as trustee, state 7 your name. 8 MS. CHAITMAN: Your Honor, yes, this is Helen 9 Davis Chaitman, of Chaitman LLP, on behalf of the defendants. 10 11 THE COURT: Ms. Chaitman, it is your motion. MS. CHAITMAN: No. It is -- well, we made --12 13 THE COURT: Oh, I'm sorry. It's a summary judgment. I'm sorry. I apologize. It's the Trustee's 14 15 motion. 16 MS. CHAITMAN: Yes. We opposed that --17 THE COURT: You have a cross-motion --18 MS. CHAITMAN: -- we made a --THE COURT: Exactly. Go ahead. This is the 19 20 original motion. Thank you. 21 MS. CARLISLE: Good morning, Your Honor. As you 22 just mentioned, we're here today on the Trustee's motion for 23 summary judgment and the defendants' countermotion in this 24 case. However practically speaking, Your Honor, all but two 25 of the issues that were argued in the parties' briefs have

previously been addressed and determined by this Court, essentially leaving only two issues to be addressed by the parties today: whether or not defendant Barbara Keller has been dismissed pursuant to Rule 25 and whether or not defendants are the initial transferees of the transfers received from the Keller Trust's BLMIS account.

The other argument of the parties' briefs, which include the fact that BLMIS was a Ponzi scheme, that the Trustee has met the requirements of 11 USC 548(a)(1)(A), that the transfers at issue here consisted of customer property, the admissibility of the records presented by the Trustee including the Form BD, plea allocutions and expert reports, that the IA business did not purchase Treasury bills for the account of any individual BLMIS customer, including the defendants here, and that the Trustee is entitled to prejudgment interest have all been previously decided and are all the law of the case here.

These arguments have been addressed and decided by this Court and the District Court in at least six other adversary proceedings largely in the Trustee's favor with the courts rejecting defendants' arguments, most recently in Your Honor's decision in the Miller case in July of this year. Further the Second Circuit recently issued an opinion in which it determined that the funds transferred by BLMIS to customers were in fact customer property. Nothing in

defendants' briefs here provide any legitimate basis for why
Your Honor should deviate from the established law of the
case for any of these previously decided issues.

Now it's clear to us, Your Honor, from the prior proceedings this morning, that the Court does demand strict compliance with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

However, in arguing here that the defendants are -- that the claims against Barbara Keller have been dismissed, defendants are essentially asking the Court to ignore the requirements of Rule 25 as it applies to them while simultaneously insisting that this Court hold the Trustee to the requirements found under that same rule.

The plain language of Federal Rule 25 clearly provides that a statement noting death which would trigger the 90-day period to substitute for that deceased defendant must be served on parties as set forth in Rule 5. Rule 5 in turn provides six different mechanisms by which a party can serve that notice of death on other parties, none of which were utilized by the defendants here.

Defendants admit as much and their failure to identify the use of any one of these six procedures provided under that rule. Instead, Your Honor, they deflect with a list of actions purportedly taken by the Trustee regarding deceased parties in other unrelated adversary proceedings. What the Trustee did in other adversary proceedings with

Page 107 1 other defendants does not --2 THE COURT: Well, let me -- let me just interrupt 3 you because I have a question --MS. CARLISLE: 4 Sure. 5 THE COURT: -- that I need you to answer. And 6 under what theory are Gerald and Barbara Keller liable for 7 these transfers in their individual capacities? 8 MS. CARLISLE: I concede, Your Honor, in their 9 individual capacities, those claims were dismissed. 10 were sued in their individual capacities as subsequent 11 transferees in this case, and those claims were dismissed by 12 a prior order of the Court. Currently the claims against 13 them are only in their capacity as trustees of the Gerald 14 and Barbara Keller Family Trust. 15 THE COURT: Okay. And so then given Rule 17(b) in 16 New York State on capacity to sue, how is the family trust 17 itself a proper party in this adversary proceeding? 18 MS. CARLISLE: I apologize, Your Honor? THE COURT: Under Rule 17(b) and New York State on 19 20 capacity to sue, how is the family trust itself a property 21 party in this adversary proceeding? Say that quickly. 22 Proper party in this adversary proceeding. MS. CARLISLE: I apologize, Your Honor. 23 24 not looked at that issue specifically with respect to this 25 I was focused more on the arguments that have been motion.

Page 108 1 brought by the parties here. 2 THE COURT: Okay. All right. MS. CARLISLE: If you'd like, I can certainly 3 4 provide supplemental briefing after this. 5 THE COURT: Well, let's -- let me hear the rest of 6 it, and then we'll talk to you. 7 MS. CARLISLE: Okay. Certainly, Your Honor. So 8 as I just mentioned, Federal Rule 25 clearly provides --9 THE COURT: Well, let me just say, shouldn't it 10 just be the trustees, not the family trust? 11 MS. CARLISLE: Well, I --12 THE COURT: Because they're the ones that are 13 acting --14 MS. CARLISLE: On behalf of the trust, Your Honor? 15 THE COURT: Right. 16 MS. CARLISLE: I understand that. I believe 17 because the trust was the account holder, that is the basis, 18 at least factually, with respect to why the trust was 19 included here. 20 THE COURT: Okay. All right. Thank you. 21 MS. CARLISLE: Certainly. So Your Honor, stepping 22 back, Federal Rule 25 clearly provides that a statement 23 noting death must be served in compliance with Rule 5 which defendants did not do here. Rather than pointing, Your 24 25 Honor, the Court to any actions taken by the defendants,

excuse me, in compliance with Rule 5, they deflect the Court with a list of actions purportedly taken by the Trustee in these other adversary proceedings.

What the Trustee did in these other adversary proceedings with respect to deceased defendants is not relevant here. It does not provide any evidence of an agreement between these specific defendants and the Trustee nor does it relieve defendants of the obligations set forth under Rule 25.

Therefore in this case the 90-day period to substitute for deceased defendant Barbara Keller did not believe until the defendants filed and served, pursuant to Rule 5, their opposition and cross-motion to summary judgment in this matter on August 17th. There is no genuine issue of fact here with respect to Ms. Keller, simply the issue of whether or not defendants complied with the requirements of Rule 25, which they did not do until recently.

The only other issue not yet decided by this Court and others is whether or not the BLMIS accountholder here, defendant Gerald and Barbara Keller Family Trust, was a mere conduit rather than the initial -- than the initial transferee and thus is not liable to the Trustee here.

As Your Honor is well aware, the Second Circuit uses the dominion and control test to define a transferee as

one who has the right to use -- to put money to one's own purpose. The Keller Trust, through its trustee, Gerald Keller, had absolute and unfettered control over the transferred funds, and the fact that the Keller Trust purportedly entered into an agreement to subsequently transfer those funds to Keller International Publishing does not abolish the Keller Trust control over those funds, nor does it shield the Trust from liability in this matter.

at all times free to choose whether to deposit the funds received from BLMIS into the bank account of Keller Publishing, whether to deposit them into another account or to take any other action with regard to the BLMIS check and the funds -- that he chose to deposit them into an account -- excuse me, Your Honor -- that he chose to enter into an agreement with Keller Publishing and whereby he then deposited those funds into an account held by Keller Publishing does not convert the Keller Trust from the initial transferee to a mere conduit.

And Your Honor, defendants cite to several cases in support of their argument that, in light of the fact that there was this contractual obligation, that the Keller Trust is a mere conduit. However the cases cited by the defendants are all differentiated from the facts at issue here. In each of those cases, the defendant arguing it was

not in fact an initial transferee.

In one case, Your Honor, it was merely somebody who employed workers and was given cash to be used to pay those employees. In another case, the defendants at issue were banks that simply received funds on behalf of accountholders.

Here however, there is evidence in the record and before Your Honor today in which Mr. Keller testified, first of all, that he was the decisionmaker as to whether or not to withdraw money from The Keller Trust's BLMIS accounts.

He also testified that it was "his job to spend the money."

In verified interrogatory responses, Your Honor, which are attached as Exhibit 14 to Mr. Cremona's declaration, The Keller Trust responded, stating that it used the funds to pay taxes and, ironically applicable to this argument, it objected to providing any further response to the Trustee as "seeking information about subsequent transfers in this case."

Finally, Your Honor, defendants produced declaration of an accountant, Ms. (indiscernible), which is attached as Exhibit AZ to Ms. Chaitman's declaration, asserting that defendants Gerald and Barbara Keller paid taxes on the reported BLMIS income. All of these admissions by defendant demonstrate that each of them had some modicum of control, if not utter and complete control over the funds

transferred from The Keller Trust's BLMIS accounts.

Finally, Your Honor, the Trustee objects to the documents attached to the declaration of Mr. Irwin Lavine filed on September 13th as inadmissible and ask that those documents, as well as Mr. Levine's statements relying on such documents not be considered by the Court. The two balance sheets that were provided by Mr. Levine are not part of the discovery exchanged in this case. They were never produced by the defendants pursuant to Rule 26 or in response to the Trustee's request for production. Similarly they were not produced by Keller International Publishing in response to the Trustee's subpoena for documents.

Discovery in this case has long been closed and is inappropriate for the defendants to attempt to use self-serving declaration such as Mr. Levine's to introduce new facts and documents into the record to support this argument that The Keller Trust was a mere conduit.

For these reasons and for all of the reasons set forth in the Trustee's memoranda in support of this motion, the Trustee's motion for summary judgment should be granted and defendants' cross-motion to be denied in its entirety. Thank you, Your Honor.

THE COURT: Thank you. Ms. Chaitman?

MS. CHAITMAN: Thank you, Your Honor. The reason we put in the supplemental declaration of Mr. Levine is that

the Trustee made a disingenuous argument in its papers. The Trustee argued that in his deposition, Mr. Keller did not testify at all about the loan that he had made to Keller Publishing Company.

What the Trustee did though is not annex the entire deposition transcript. It only annexed ten pages.

And indeed when I asked Ms. Carlisle to provide me with a copy of the complete transcript, she took six days to answer my email and answered that the transcript would have to be purchased.

So here they're making an allegation about what Mr. Keller testified without disclosing to the Court the full transcript, which in fact revealed because we've now filed it, it revealed that Ms. Carlisle never asked a single question to Mr. Keller about the relationship between Keller Publishing and the Trust. And now we've put before the Court a complete record of the facts.

The loans that were made by Gerald Keller as trustee to the Keller Publishing Company are indisputable. The financial statements of Keller Publishing show those loans. And that's what Mr. Levine's supplemental declaration indicates. So we think that the law is clear here and consistent with what Your Honor held recently in the Stanley Miller case. You held that the IRA custodian was not an initial transferee and I think for very similar

reasons here. the law compels a ruling that Mr. Keller was not the initial transferee. Every single withdrawal from the Madoff account was simply endorsed by Mr. Keller and endorsed and deposited into a bank account of Keller Publishing. And inexplicably the Trustee never sued Keller Publishing even though the back of every check, which was in the Trustee's possession, indicated that the depositor was Keller Publishing.

As to the other issues, Your Honor, I think that it's very clear that we reached an agreement with the Trustee's counsel early on in these cases. I don't believe it was on the record before Judge Bernstein. But it was in a conversation in Court with Judge Bernstein. And it was agreed that if clients died, it would be sufficient for me to simply send an email to the Trustee's counsel.

And next to my certification is a list of the 17 cases in which I gave such email notification, and the Trustee then filed the amended -- the motion to amend the caption. Inexplicably in this case, he didn't do so. So I think that for all of these reasons, the motion should be decided in favor of the defendants. Thank you, Your Honor.

THE COURT: Any rebuttal?

MS. CARLISLE: Certainly, Your Honor, just briefly. First of all, Ms. Chaitman states that there's an agreement between the Trustee and her. However, Your Honor,

1 we're not aware -- counsel for the Trustee and the Trustee 2 himself is not aware of any such agreement. She cannot 3 point to any such agreement on the record, and certainly there is -- without going into too many details about all of 4 the lists here, at least one of these does not follow what 5 6 she states. In the Bruno Di Giulian matter, Adversary 7 Proceeding 10-4728, the defendants actually refuse to 8 stipulate, Your Honor, to entry of a substitution and 9 require that the Trustee file a motion to substitute in that 10 case and filed motions in response to that. If Your Honor 11 would like, I can certainly provide you with a copy of -- or 12 with the docket entry for that so you can take judicial 13 notice of that. 14 THE COURT: Okay. If it's a judicial -- if it's a 15 docket entry, just give me the docket entry and I can take 16 judicial notice. 17 MS. CARLISLE: Certainly, Your Honor. apologize. One moment. I'm finding it in my notes. 18 in the main case 08-01789, it is Document Number 15979 filed 19 20 on May 10th of 2017. The adversary proceeding is APN 10-21 04728, Picard v. Bruno Di Giulian. 22 THE COURT: Very good. Thank you. Very good. I 23 will issue a written decision. 24 MS. CARLISLE: Thank you, Your Honor. 25 MS. CHAITMAN: Thank you, Your Honor.

Page 116 1 THE COURT: Thank you. Adversary Proceeding 20 --2 MS. CHAITMAN: I believe --3 THE COURT: Yes, Ms. Chaitman? I didn't hear you. MS. CHAITMAN: Yeah. I just -- I believe this 4 5 concludes my involvement in the hearing. But I just would 6 ask that Mr. Cremona confirm that before I hang up. 7 MR. CREMONA: Nicholas Cremona, Baker and 8 Hostetler. I can confirm that that's -- that concludes the 9 need for Ms. Chaitman's participation. 10 MS. CHAITMAN: Okay. Thank you. 11 THE COURT: Very good, Ms. Chaitman. You have a 12 good day. 13 MS. CHAITMAN: You too, Your Honor. Bye. 14 THE COURT: 20-01316, Irving Picard, Trustee for 15 the Liquidation of Bernie L. Madoff Investment Securities v. 16 Rafael Mayer, David Mayer, Montpellier International Ltd., 17 Prince Assets Ltd., also known as Prince Asset LDC, Prince 18 Resources LDC, Montpellier USA Holdings LLC, Khronos Liquid 19 Opportunities Fund Ltd. and Prince Capital Partners LLC. 20 State your name and affiliation. 21 MR. OLIVER: Good morning, Your Honor. Jason 22 Oliver, Baker & Hostetler, on behalf of the Trustee, Irving 23 Picard. 24 MS. LONGSTAFF: Good morning, Your Honor. Carrie 25 Longstaff, on behalf of the Trustee, Irving Picard, as well.

Page 117 1 MR. FISHER: Good morning, Your Honor. Eric 2 Fisher, from the Law Firm of Binder & Schwartz, on behalf of 3 individual defendant, Rafael Mayer. 4 MR. STEARNS: Good morning, Your Honor. Eugene 5 Stearns, Carlos Canino and Matt Graham, on behalf of the 6 individual defendant, David Mayer. 7 THE COURT: I'm sorry --8 MR. WALTER: Good morning, Your Honor. 9 THE COURT: -- what is the individual defendant, 10 Mr. Stern? 11 MR. STEARNS: Your Honor, the individual defendant 12 is David Mayer. 13 THE COURT: Thank you. I thought that's what you said. I just didn't hear you clearly. 14 15 MR. STEARNS: And I didn't indicate my firm, David 16 Stearns Weaver Miller, and we're in Miami, Florida, Your 17 Honor. 18 THE COURT: Thank you. MR. ALTER: Good morning, Your Honor. I'm Daniel 19 20 Alter, with the Yankwitt firm. We represent the Khronos 21 Liquid Opportunities Fund defendant. 22 THE COURT: Very good. 23 MR. TABAK: Good morning, Your Honor. Daniel 24 Tabak, with Cohen & Gresser. We represent Prince Resources 25 LDC and Prince Capital Partners LLC.

THE COURT: Very good. And this is your motion to dismiss.

MR. FISHER: That's right, Your Honor. Eric

Fisher, on behalf of Rafael Mayer. I spoke with Trustee's

counsel before today's hearing and with all other defense

counsel. And with the Court's permission, we've agreed that

Rafael Mayer will proceed first with argument on his motion.

THE COURT: Very good. Thank you. If you would just give me a moment to get to my notes on this. Very good. Go ahead, please.

MR. FISHER: Thank you, Your Honor. I appreciate that the Court has read the papers. And so I want to use my argument time to really just focus on a few salient points that I think are very important in considering this case from the perspective of defendant Rafael Mayer.

And the first point I want to make is that this is, as the Court just heard in the status conference, one of 80 subsequent transfer cases. But this case is like none other because 79 of those other subsequent transfer cases were filed between 2010 and 2012. This case was commenced eight years later, eight years after the last subsequent transfer case in November 2020 and it seeks to recover transfers that happened 13 years earlier in 2007 and 2008.

And, Your Honor, we respectfully submit that many of the difficulties that the Trustee has encountered that

have caused the Trustee to rely on what I'll characterize as hyper-aggressive, meritless theories of liability are a result of the Trustee's extreme delay here. And it is working a truly brutal unfairness on Mr. Rafael Mayer as an individual defendant. That's the first point I wanted to make.

The second point, Your Honor, is that Rafael Mayer is not alleged to have gotten a single transfer. That is not in dispute. So this is not really a Section 550 subsequent transfer case as to Rafael Mayer. It's something entirely different. And what it is, is an alter ego claim that arises under Bermuda and Delaware law.

And I now want to shift and focus very directly on that alter ego claim because that's all there is as to Rafael Mayer. There's no allegation that he received any subsequent transfer or indeed no allegation that he received any personal benefit in the entire complaint, not one.

So shifting to the alter ego theory itself, Your Honor, as appendices to Rafael Mayer's reply brief, we included two diagrams, Appendix A and Appendix B. And we included those to really try to simplify the allegations in the complaint and present them fairly. And what the Court will find there is based entirely on allegations in the complaint. And the timeline and the diagram of the entities illustrates a few really important things.

First of all, when the Court looks at those diagrams, so I'm referring here to Appendix B, you will see that as to Rafael Mayer, as I said, all of the relevant transfers happened in 2007 and 2008 between and among various entities. And then those -- three of those defendant entities -- so I'm talking here about Montpellier -- it's Montpellier International, but it's defined in the briefing as Montpellier, Khronos Group and Montpellier USA, those were dissolved in 2017. Two of them are Bermuda entities that were dissolved under Bermuda law. One of them is a Delaware that was dissolved and liquidated under Delaware law.

And in essence, because those entities don't exist anymore and haven't existed since 2017, the Trustee is looking for someone else to hold liable. And so he's come up with this notion that Rafael Mayer should be held individually liable for each of those three entities. Why? Essentially because he served as the liquidator for those entities. And the Trustee does not cite any case in which a liquidator of a Bermuda entity or a liquidator of a Delaware entity are held liable by virtue of having served in that role of liquidator.

Your Honor, I want to turn quickly to the choice of law question because I think it's important here, although not dipositive. I think that these claims are so

aggressive and out of bounds that they fail under any applicable law. They fail under Bermuda law, they fail under Delaware law and they fail under New York law which is really the only law that the Trustee argues.

But the Trustee should not be arguing New York
because this is not a subtle choice of law question. There
are not a lot of different considerations to look at in
figuring out what law applies. Essentially what the Trustee
contends Rafael Mayer did that was a "wrongful act" was that
he served as a liquidator for entities that liquidated under
foreign law, Bermuda law and Delaware law. And there's just
no question that the liquidation of a company under the laws
that govern that company have to be governed by those
relevant local laws. And the Trustee does not cite any
cases to the contrary.

Yes, there are cases where if there are an overriding number of contacts or interests with New York, maybe that can override what is the internal affairs doctrine and the notion that a company's liquidation should be governed by its own laws. But that's not true in the case of a liquidation. And the Trustee cites no case to the controversy -- to the contrary. And so under Bermuda law, there's just no way that the Trustee can ever hold Rafael Mayer liable individually. We put in a foreign law declaration in connection with our papers. It wasn't

rebutted. The Trustee barely argues Bermuda law at all.

And the reason that the claims fail under Bermuda law, and I should say really fail under UK law -- I know David Mayer who will be arguing after me, the relevant entity is a Cayman entity. But it's the same principle because they all follow UK law. And under UK law, there isn't a doctrine of alter ego liability at all.

The closest you get is something called piercing the corporate veil, which of course is a concept we're familiar with here as well. But in order to pierce the corporate veil, you have to have an individual who's liable, and then the individual has to create a company that the individual interposes between the individual and the liability to try to evade the liability.

That's the only way to pierce the corporate veil under UK law. I'm of course simplifying it, and it's all there in our papers. But that's why you can see that, as a matter of law, this can't possibly succeed because, as I said at the outset, there is no individual liability alleged as to Rafael Mayer. And these companies existed before. So they just can't possibly satisfy any of the elements under Bermuda law.

Under Delaware law, and here I'm only talking about one of the entities, Montpellier USA that dissolved under Delaware law, they would need to be able to allege

entity to work an injustice. And again there is no allegation of fact that involves anything to suggest that these entities operated as single economic entities. Quite to the contrary, the complaint is able to be very specific about transfers from one entity to another to another. Why? Because they had separate bank accounts. They kept separate records, all of which has been produced to the Trustee.

In paragraph 81 of the complaint, the Court will find a helpful chart that the Trustee provides that shows that each of these entities had their own directors, officers, shareholders. They had a common investment manager in Khronos LLC. But there's no claim that there was any disregard of any of those forums in connection with the decision to engage in these various liquidations ten years after the transfers at issue.

And I should add, Your Honor, that in 2017 when these entities dissolved, there was no pending litigation against them and there was no threat of litigation against them. The Trustee had never so much as sent a letter saying, oh, you know, we think we might have claims some day against these entities.

The complaint also alleges, and this is illustrated in the timeline that the Court will find in Appendix A, that the -- this liquidation process for the

Montpellier entities began in 2009 and only concluded in 2017. So the Trustee's complaint tries very unfairly to paint a picture of some kind of shell game that's going on when that's not at all what's going on.

And what's crystal clear from the allegations in the complaint itself is that these are investment funds that suffered losses in Madoff and lots of other losses as a result of the financial crisis of 2008 and 2009 and engaged in a ten-year process to wind down their funds, during which time they were not threatened with suit.

And now the Trustee comes forward in 2020 and decides that he wants to sue them. But they don't exist anymore. So he's looking to individuals to try to hold them personally liable when, as I said at the outset, really the Trustee has only himself to blame here for this extreme delay.

Your Honor, I want to very quickly -- I appreciate the Court's indulgence. I know it's been a long morning.

But I want to very quickly touch on New York law which is what the Trustee says applies here. And as I said, it just doesn't. It doesn't. Khronos LLC is an investment manager that managed these funds, and yes, Khronos LLC is based on New York. But what we're talking about here are foreign liquidations, and the Trustee does not cite a single case that could possibly suggest that New York law should apply

to a foreign liquidation and New York law should apply to decide whether a foreign liquidation rises to the level of creating alter ego liability.

But the reason anyway that under law the claim against Rafael Mayer has to fail as a matter of law, and the Court doesn't need to look any further than the case that is sort of the Trustee's favorite case. The Trustee cites Picard v. Magnify throughout the Trustee's brief. And that case says very clearly that if you want to create alter ego — a viable claim for alter ego liability under New York law, you need to show that the corporate forum had been disregarded at the time of the transaction that's being challenged.

The precise language, it's at page 848 of that decision. The misuse of the corporate forum must occur "at the time of the transaction in question." The transaction in question here, Your Honor, are transfers that happened in 2007 and 2008. The alleged wrongful conduct are liquidations that happened in 2017. There is no allegation of wrongful conduct at the time of the transaction in question. There are lots of other reasons. You could look at the multifactor test. But you don't need to because there's a really simply reason why this cannot ever succeed under New York law.

Really my last point, Your Honor, is that the

Trustee sort of suggests that he should have been given specific notice of these liquidations when they occurred in 2017. So first of all, there's no dispute that these liquidations did occur in accordance with Bermuda and Delaware law and that public notice was provided, as required, right? These liquidations were published in the newspaper. And the Trustee is basically saying, well, why didn't you give us specific notice.

So first of all, those are questions governed by foreign law. And in fact, we cite in our papers the Trustee conceding to Judge Bernstein that questions of foreign liquidation as regards these transferees ought to be governed by foreign law.

But even so, let's just say for the sake of argument that a trustee who had not threatened a claim against these entities, had not sued these entities was somehow entitled to specific notice, as if the Trustee could imagine that we would call them up and say, you know, it's been about ten years. And do you think you might want to sue us some day? Because if so, we want to make sure you know that we're completing a liquidation that we started in 2008.

I mean, it's just -- talk about implausible, which of course is the touchstone for pleading standards here. it just makes no sense. And even if it were true, even if it

were true that they were entitled to specific notice, that can't possibly be the basis for holding an individual liable on an alter ego theory. If they have remedy -- if anything wrong happened, and nothing did, the remedies lie in Bermuda or Delaware. They can try to reconstitute the entity. They can see what remedies they have.

But to jump from that to the idea that an individual is going to be held personally liable for this massive alleged liability is really, as I said at the outset, brutally unfair. The fact that an individual has been sued in this case is personally devastating. It hurts his reputation. It makes it impossible for him to go on with his business. And there are truly compelling grounds here, Your Honor, for the claims against Rafael Mayer individually to be dismissed definitively. That means with prejudice, without leave to replead.

Having him in the case, having these personal issues in the case just complicates the case. And this is a case that if it's going to go forward, it really needs to be cleaned up before it does, and it needs to be a case that goes forward in a commercially sensible way. And that's not the way the case is currently set up.

Unless the Court has questions, I have nothing further on behalf of Mr. Mayer.

25 THE COURT: I do not. Next, I think you all have

1 a way that you all want to argue these. 2 MR. STEARNS: We did, Your Honor, by agreement. And I'm Gene Stearns, of Stearns Weaver Miller. And Your 3 Honor, I was told by your clerk's office that I need to ask 4 5 to share a screen, be co-host for purposes of sharing the 6 screen and, if so --7 THE COURT: And for what purpose --8 MR. OLIVER: Your Honor, I apologize. This is 9 Jason Oliver, on behalf of the Trustee. The Trustee would 10 like to respond to Mr. Fisher's argument on the motion to 11 dismiss filed by Rafael Mayer. MR. STEARNS: If I may, Your Honor, my argument is 12 13 going to be brief and it's going to be consistent with Mr. 14 Fisher's argument and it makes it --15 THE COURT: I think we're going to hold and let 16 you respond at the end because some of it will be redundant, 17 I'm sure. But what do you want to share on the screen? MR. STEARNS: I just have just a brief 18 19 presentation that I think will -- I'm going over what's in 20 their complaint, and I believe it's useful to see it. So 21 it's just a very brief presentation that I think you'll find 22 useful, Your Honor. And I think our host screen would be 23 Stearns --THE COURT: Well, wait. Wait, wait, wait. 24 25 still want to know what you're going to show me.

Page 129 1 MR. STEARNS: This is a PowerPoint presentation 2 that's just very brief, one slide with -- which lays out the 3 allegations in the complaint. THE COURT: Okay. You're on the co-host. But you 4 5 can just point us to -- you can just point us to the 6 complaint. 7 MR. STEARNS: The co-host --8 THE COURT: You're on there. 9 MR. STEARNS: The co-host needs to be Stearns 10 Weaver share screen, not me personally, Your Honor. Your 11 clerk that can find it, the Stearns Weaver share screen. 12 THE COURT: Whatever you sent us is what we gave 13 you as co-host. 14 MR. STEARNS: Okay. 15 THE COURT: We did Stearns Weaver. 16 MR. STEARNS: Share screen. 17 THE COURT: We did it when you started speaking. MR. STEARNS: One second, Your Honor. Okay. Got 18 I'm sorry, Your Honor. We're not the co-host? I can't 19 20 do it because it's got to be -- it's got to be Stearns 21 Weaver share screen, Your Honor. It shows up on the top, 22 screen share. Stearns Weaver screen share. THE COURT: We see it as Stearns Weaver screen 23 24 That's what we see from our position. 25 MR. STEARNS: Okay. Try it. Okay. It says it's

Page 130 1 disabled. Okay. So let me -- I'll do it without the 2 PowerPoint. So let's go forward. 3 THE COURT: Hold on. We're trying to see it. MR. STEARNS: Well, I'm just not going to use it, 4 5 Your Honor. I apologize for --6 THE COURT: We have -- we have -- I guess that's 7 it. We have you as the host. MR. STEARNS: Okay. Let's try to get Stearns 8 9 Weaver screen share. 10 THE COURT: No. It's the wrong one. We have you 11 individually. 12 MR. STEARNS: Okay. All right. Well, I'll proceed without it, Your Honor. First, let's be clear. I 13 14 want to adopt absolutely what Mr. Fisher said because it 15 applies to David Mayer as well. But it's --16 THE COURT: Can you -- can you see if you can 17 share it? MR. STEARNS: Yes. Go ahead. See if it will 18 19 work. It doesn't? There we go. 20 THE COURT: We've got it. 21 MR. STEARNS: There we go. And it's very brief, 22 Your Honor, and I think you'll -- I think it's helpful 23 because -- the reason I think it's helpful is because the names are confusing. And they're unusual names. And what 24 25 you'll see in the Trustee's complaint -- and I don't -- I

wouldn't accuse them of continuing to repeat the same transactions over and over again to create an impression that there are multiple transactions. But as to David Mayer, the transactions are very few.

First, the allegation in the complaint in paragraph 11 is he's an individual who resides in Santa Ana, Costa Rica. The Prince Resources, one of the defendants in this matter, is organized under the laws of the Cayman Islands.

Prince LDC, which is referred to in the complaint as the dissolved entity in 2019 which Mr. Mayer had a relationship with, which is all organized and dissolved under the laws of the Cayman Islands. Prince Capital is a Delaware company that's managed in Florida. Prince LDC, paragraph 61, allegedly received \$10 million of fictitious profits from Legacy -- Legacy is of course the judgment debtor -- on June 6, 2008.

The allegations in the complaint in paragraph 66 are between June 13, 2008 and March 9, 2009, Prince transferred the entire \$10 million to Prince Resources in a series of transactions. So in that period of June '08 to March '09, all of the money that's allegedly the fictitious profits occurred -- was transferred in that time period.

Between July 11, 2008 and March 20, 2009, Prince Resources transferred a portion of the \$10 million, \$7,250,000,

roughly -- a little more than 72 percent, of the \$10 million was transferred to Prince Capital.

David Mayer was the director of Prince LDC and Prince Resources, alleged in paragraph 81. David Mayer was the liquidator of Prince LDC on April 15, 2019, ten years after the transfers in question. And the single complaint alleged against David Mayer is that Prince received \$10 million of fictitious profits in '08, transferred \$10 million to Prince Resources in '08 and '09, followed by Prince Resources transferring \$7,250,000 to Prince Capital in '08 and '09.

And those entities, Prince Resources and Prince
Capital, are defendants in this litigation. And all the
subsequent transfers to Prince Resources, Prince Capital,
all occurred ten years prior to the dissolution in the Grand
Cayman. And the only claim against David Mayer is that he
is the alter ego of Prince. There is no allegation that he
is a transferee and no allegation of fraud.

Your Honor, it is difficult -- I mean, and so we're perfectly clear here, the law in this jurisdiction could not be more clear that there is no claim for assisting a fraudulent transfer. The case we cited is Klein v.

Tabatchnick, 459 F. Supp. 707 (S.D.N.Y 1978), and adopted by reference in Klein v. Tabatchnick, 610 F.2d 1043 in the Second Circuit in 1979. And all the cases have adopted

that. Uniformly the theory is you -- it's a transferee map, that you follow the money. You don't have a civil action for allegedly aiding and abetting or causing someone to obtain a transfer. That law just is crystal clear.

So now look at what the Trustee filed in this case. Suing David Mayer, a citizen of Costa Rica, a day or two prior to the expiration of the statute of limitations, alleging that the thing he did wrong, which they acknowledged in their reply brief was not a fraud, that he received no transfer himself and alleged no benefit that he received for himself. But somehow he's liable for a dissolution of an entity that ten years earlier transferred the money that allegedly came from Madoff into the funds in which he had back ten years earlier some responsibility.

Now this, you know, the Trustee has had an enormous run of success in the Madoff litigation. No one can quarrel with that. But, you know, he has shot and made great claims. He's collected a lot of money for victims. But at some point, you begin to believe that everything you do is right, that you don't have to worry about doing something that's just wrong. But to sue David Mayer individually to create what we would call, at least in this jurisdiction, a designer claim, one that is not recognized by the law, but one that's attempting to get around the law because the law -- if you read his complaint, all it seems

to allege is somehow or another there's some aiding and abetting liability when in reality the law doesn't permit it. And when it comes down to the end, the claim that they hang their hat on is a dissolution in 2019, ten years after the money that allegedly came from Madoff to other entities that are defendants in this case. By the way, it's not alleged that the defendants in this case can't respond to a judgment until they get to their papers. And in their papers, now in their response to the motion to dismiss, they say, oh, this was intended to avoid a solvency claim. was intended to move the money beyond the reach of the Trustee. That is not in their allegations in their complaint. This, respectfully, Your Honor, I'll reiterate what Mr. Fisher said, that individuals being brought into these cases that had no involvement in the cases in terms of receiving transferred money, this causes enormous pain and anguish and personal responsibility, personal harm. And to just throw a claim like this against the wall is particularly outrageous. And, Your Honor, respectfully, this claim needs to be dismissed. THE COURT: Thank you. Would you please give up cohosting responsibilities so we can take it back? MR. STEARNS: Yes, of course. THE COURT: And again, I'll let the Trustee at the

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1 Who else is next? You're on mute. You're on mute. 2 You're on mute. You're on mute. 3 MR. ALTER: I apologize. Good morning, Your This is Daniel Alter, on behalf of Khronos Liquid 4 Honor. 5 Opportunities Fund. And I seem to be the caboose in a very 6 long train of claims here. And, you know, Your Honor, 7 that's pretty consistent with the way the Trustee has 8 treated KLOF in its own pleadings, most demonstrated in the 9 fact that in several of the most operative allegations of 10 the complaint, the Trustee has left out KLOF entirely. And 11 I think I can explain why. 12 Unless the Court has any questions about the 13 jurisdictional issues we've raised, I would happily rest on 14 our papers and instead really focus on the complaint itself, 15 the allegations that have been made, a total of six 16 allegations in a 28-page complaint. And I could walk the 17 Court, if Your Honor would allow it, through each allegation 18 quickly and demonstrate exactly why it fails to state a 19 claim. 20 THE COURT: But did you do that in your papers? 21 MR. ALTER: Yes, I did. But I think I can make 22 some added comments here because, you know, Your Honor --23 THE COURT: As long as you don't repeat yourself. 24 MR. ALTER: I certainly will try not to. In 25 paragraph 61, Your Honor, that's the base paragraph by which

the Trustee alleges that Legacy transferred \$50 million in customer property to Montpellier Resources. Fair enough. That's the initial transfer. Actually it's the second transfer. In March of 2019, two years later, Montpellier becomes what's known as a Bermuda segregated company. And this is where it gets tricky for the Trustee because the company divides all of its assets into two accounts, a distribution account and a continuing account. But nowhere in the complaint is there an allegation that explains whether or not Legacy funds are included in one or both of those accounts. We simply don't know where the Legacy property is.

If you move on to paragraph 92, there's some mechanical things. Montpellier changes its name to Khronos Group. The continuing account changes its name to the liquid opportunities segregated account. But we know that the distribution account is still in existence and still there's no clarity as to whether the Legacy funds are in either account.

Now in paragraph 93, in 2011, two years later,

KLOF is formed as a Cayman Islands company, and the Khronos

Group transfers allegedly approximately \$109 million from

the Khronos Group continuing account to KLOF. Again we

don't know what that money compromises, what constitutes

that \$109 million, if it has any Legacy funds. Now we get

to paragraph 94 and this is the touchstone of the Trustee's complaint. This is the fudge factor. And it says after July 2011, which is four years after the Legacy transfer to Montpellier, KLOF allegedly succeeded and took over for Khronos Group.

Now what this is, Your Honor, is an effort to connect KLOF with the Legacy funds. And that is an effort because they have to somehow avoid the vacuum of information created by the segregated account structure. But there's two problems with this key -- at least two problems with this key allegation which the whole claim rests on. And the first is it's conclusory. You know, it's not well pleaded. We don't know what that means. There are no factual supports for it.

So that in and of itself can't support a cause of action. But even more importantly, Your Honor, that allegation is false and is contradicted by the complaint itself because if you look at paragraph 104, the Trustee alleges that in September 2007 -- that's six years after KLOF is formed and supposedly took over for Khronos Group, the Trustee alleges that Khronos Group is liquidated and dissolved in Bermuda.

So the complaint admits that these two corporate entities coexisted for no less than six years. In other words, KLOF did not take over and succeed to the Khronos

Group. It was a separate entity and it can't fudge the fact

-- when I say it, I mean the Trustee can't fudge the fact

that it can't follow the Legacy funds into KLOF. And that's

no small thing. I mean, that's the fundamental element to a

Section 550 claim.

And you know, it's not really too -- when they're being sued for at least \$50 million, it's not too much to demand that the plaintiff allege that it actually received the money. We have no such allegation here. We have an allegation which is factually incorrect and entirely conclusory that somehow KLOF succeeded to and took over arguably what they're saying the liability of Khronos Group was. But they don't plead the underlying facts. There's nothing to support those barebones conclusions, that bald assertion as some in the case referred to.

So Your Honor, my argument really isn't much more complicated than that. Six allegations that go to the liability of KLOF and they don't connect KLOF with customer money that came from Legacy, plain and simple. I don't want to burden the Court anymore with that because I think it plainly makes our defense. So if Your Honor has no further questions, I'd be happy to rest.

THE COURT: Thank you. I do not. Anyone else wish to be heard on the motion to dismiss the filing of the motion? Very good. Trustee?

MR. OLIVER: Thank you, Your Honor. Jason Oliver, Baker Hostetler, on behalf of the Trustee. And I will be speaking in response to the motions to dismiss filed by Mr. Rafael Mayer and Mr. David Mayer, and my colleague, Ms. Carrie Longstaff, will be speaking as to the motion to dismiss filed by Khronos Liquid Opportunities Fund.

THE COURT: Very good. Thank you.

MR. OLIVER: So to begin, it's not unsurprising that neither Mr. Fisher nor Mr. Stearns make any reference of what happens with respect to the Mayers and Khronos even before the subsequent transfers in this case were made.

And, you know, as Your Honor is aware, the Second Circuit on August 30th overturned the good faith standard, and in so doing summarized the Trustee's amended complaint in the Legacy Capital adversary proceeding and at the same time vacated Judge Bernstein's findings on that motion to dismiss.

In the Trustee's view, the Second Circuit's summary of the facts alleged in the amended complaint in the Legacy Capital adversary proceeding show a plausible abuse of the corporate forum with respect to the Mayers' actions and Khronos LLC.

For background, both the Mayers are mentioned in the Legacy Capital complaint. The Trustee has incorporated by reference and, in some instances, specifically re-pled

allegations in the Legacy Capital amended complaint. And in the summary the Second Circuit put forth, on page five of their opinion, they do talk about the fact that Legacy, which was controlled by Jimmy Mayer and Rafael Mayer, hired Khronos LLC upon suspicions raised by Renaissance

Technologies regarding risks of fraud with respect to Madoff and the Legacy BLMIS investigation. They hired Khronos LLC to do an investigation of those concerns which confirmed those concerns. And Khronos LLC, from its founding in 2001, was comanaged and cofounded by managing partners David Mayer and Rafael Mayer, and both of those individuals are mentioned in the Second Circuit opinion.

The Second Circuit opinion goes on to cite the

Legacy Capital amended complaint to note that Rafael Mayer

was a member of the oversight committee for Meritage. The

oversight committee was responsible for looking into the -
all the investments of the Meritage fund, which included the

BLMIS Legacy investment. And Mr. Rafael Mayer was the only

member of that oversight committee that objected to the

Meritage oversight committee's decision to redeem from the

Legacy Capital investment from BLMIS.

As a result, Mr. Mayer and Khronos LLC, which was controlled by both David and Rafael Mayer, confirmed the suspicions of the Renaissance report and the time was used for Mr. Rafael Mayer to go out and essentially purchase the

second half of the investment that was remaining that

Renaissance and Meritage had not yet redeemed. And he found
a purchaser and obtained a loan from BNP Paribas Dublin
Dublin Branch to satisfy that portion of the investment.

So with that backdrop, the Trustee is not simply, as I hope Your Honor can appreciate from our papers, complaining about liquidations that occurred in 2017 and 2019. The Trustee is looking at the actions of the Mayers and their controlling powers over Khronos Group, which was the investment advisor of each and every recipient of subsequent transfers in our recovery complaint that's before the Court and looking at the actions that the Mayers took both individually and in conjunction with their roles as managing directors of Khronos that was, in our view, as Mr. Fisher put it, a shell game to funnel away money and frustrate the Trustee's purpose of recovery for the victims of the BLMIS estate.

Mr. Fisher and Mr. Stearns also talked about a ten-year period of time where the Trustee did not advise either by letter, email or complaint that there could be the potential that we would be bringing subsequent transfer claims against these particular entities.

And I'll respectfully point to the fact that under Section 550(f) of the Bankruptcy Code, there is no requirement for the Trustee to bring an action to seek

subsequent transfers until within a one-year period of avoidance. I don't believe that there was a discussion at length in Mr. Fisher's presentation.

But Legacy Capital in the underlying proceeding did agree to a judgment of \$79.5 million which did, in the final judgment, seek to avoid the initial transfers. So from November of 2019, those transfers were avoided and that started the clocks that required the Trustee to file the subsequent transfer action which we did within that statutory time period.

I'd like to next turn to the choice of law that both counsel raised, unless Your Honor has any questions.

THE COURT: No. Please go ahead.

MR. OLIVER: Okay. Thank you. The Trustee has taken the position that New York law governs the substantive issues of alter ego law in this particular case. The Trustee has cited the Picard v. Magnify decision, 583 B.R. 829 (Bank. S.D.N.Y. 2018), for the proposition that the internal affairs doctrine and reliance on the place of incorporation of an alleged defendant in the alter ego context is a rebuttable presumption.

We've also cited Judge Bernstein's decision in

Magnify to point out that in that particular case the judge
took particular note of the unique injury to the Trustee who
stands in the shoes of the BLMIS victims, all of them, and

that the specific injury in that case was to a third party, not a creditor or shareholder or other related entity to the defendant that was dissolved.

The Mayers essentially, in both of their replies and opening papers, ignore all case law that the Trustee has cited on pages 17 and 19 of our opposition brief that showcases both in the alter ego context and other commercial contexts where the presumption was rebutted when the control over the entities and the specific actions complained of occurred and had greatest contacts with New York.

So in this case, it's our position that New York law should be applied by Your Honor because Khronos LLC, as I identified at the outset, is a New York-based investment manager for all the subsequent transferees. And Rafael Mayer and David Mayer, as we know, were both the managing principals of Khronos.

During the time at issue that the subsequent transfers were made in this complaint, Montpellier Khronos

Group, Montpellier USA and Prince Investment Funds were all run out of New York through Khronos with Khronos directing the day-to-day investments. So the day-to-day business was run from New York and the investment decisions were all made by the Mayers that related to the Legacy Capital investment and the subsequent transferees.

Beginning in 2016, Prince Assets LDC was managed

by Prince Capital, which is another Mayer entity that was formerly wholly owned -- who was a formerly wholly owned subsidiary of Khronos LLC, which in turn conducted business in New York through Khronos LLC's New York office, citing to paragraph 15 and 112 to 114 of our complaint.

So, you know, using Magnify as a backdrop, here the alter ego defendants, Rafael Mayer and David Mayer, didn't even have to come to New York at the time for a handful of meetings. They were here. they were conducting day-to-day business as the investment manager for all of these subsequent transfers -- subsequent transferee recipients.

BLMIS, as Your Honor is aware, is a New York debtor. And as I mentioned before, the injury in this case results to third parties. You know, these are Rafael Mayer and David Mayer, we've alleged rendered judgment-proof, the foreign companies that they managed benefited their families and friends to redeem their shares at the expense of BLMIS defrauded customers. So therefore the location of the injury is the location of the BLMIS defrauded customers, states and victims, not the place of incorporation.

The individual defendant location activities,

Rafael Mayer is and was a New York citizen. David Mayer at

some point, you know, moved to Costa Rica. But he was a

managing director of Khronos LLC through February 2016

conducting day-to-day business in New York.

Another glaring omission from both Mayer defendants' arguments today is that the Trustee in 2010 sent Rule 2004 subpoenas to both David Mayer and Rafael Mayer as individuals. And we received in response -- I'm sorry. that was in July of 2010. We received in response a joint document production from the Mayers which basically identified the subsequent transfers to Montpellier and Prince, what we'll call the initial level subsequent transfers, which are sought in this complaint.

So at that time, the Mayers were clearly aware that there were subsequent transfers to Montpellier and Prince, at a minimum. And as we see later in 2020, we get a separate Rule 2004 production, this time from Khronos LLC, that shows that there are second level and third level subsequent transfers.

So we also talk about in our complaint that the Mayers had a plan of reorganization. And in the Trustee's pleading, we see in August of 2010, right after the Mayers received the Rule 2004 subpoena from Khronos -- excuse me, right after the Trustee received the 2004 subpoena from the Trustee, we see that Khronos and the Mayers planned to dismantle the Montpellier Group.

And the focus of this restructuring on the Montpellier side of the equation is that all of het assets

in the funds included in Khronos Group are going to be transferred to a new fund called Khronos Liquid

Opportunities Fund, as Mr. Alter referred to as KLOF, which is owned and controlled in its totality by Khronos LLC, and citing to paragraph 72 and 79 of our complaint and also paragraph 99. So these are essentially a new entity that's created by the Mayers that's wholly controlled and owned by Khronos LLC, again a Mayer entity run out of New York.

The only arguments that the Mayers essentially make concerning application of Bermuda or Caymanian law as to an alter ego analysis are non-persuasive for the following reasons. The facts just simply support foreign law in this case. The only real argument that we're seeing regarding the application of foreign law is the place of incorporation and the place of filing foreign dissolution documents. That's it. I mean, even a New York address is used by Rafael Mayer on the dissolution documents that we found filed in Bermuda. There's no allegation that the -- or there's no argument that the bank accounts related to these subsequent transfers are in the place of incorporation because they're not.

Defendants also here are exempt entities in both
Bermuda and the Cayman Islands. You know, while not
dispositive, this fact, in our view, significantly reduces
the interest of the chartering jurisdictions. So

Montpellier International, Khronos Group, which was formerly Montpellier Resources and Prince Assets LDC, these are all exempt entities under foreign law.

The Mayers also talked about whether or not the real issue here is a dissolution under foreign law and the Trustee's complaint regarding whether or not that was proper. And the Mayers cite certain cases on page seven of their reply brief for David Mayer and pages nine to ten for Rafael Mayer reply brief. But in all those cases, the remedy sought was that a dissolution was going to be brought in a foreign insolvency hearing

Here, the Mayers have gone ahead and dissolved the corporations. There's no foreign insolvency proceeding.

There's no request for dissolution or shareholder restrictions coming out of a dissolution because simply the companies are resolved and there's no more entity to sue.

For those purposes, we think New York law should govern. And then moving on, specifically under New York law, the requirements -- and I'll pause for a second. The Mayers are essentially in our view arguing a motion for summary judgment at this phase. We are here today on a motion to dismiss to make sure that the claims are properly pled and that we have the elements met for each claim.

We're not looking to prejudge the result here. And as Your Honor recognized in the recent Fairfield decision, it's not

so much whether or not the Trustee will ultimately prevail in this claim but whether a claim has bene properly pled under the law so that evidence can be taken for discovery.

So under New York law, to assert a claim for piercing the corporate veil, a plaintiff must establish that the owners exercised complete domination of the corporation in respect to the transaction attacked and that such domination was used to commit a fraud or wrong against a plaintiff which resulted in plaintiff's injury.

You know, we heard some complaint from both counsel today that there's no allegations concerning the subsequent transfers which are the transactions attacked. And I would dispute that, Your Honor because, as I pointed out, Rafael Mayer and David Mayer were well aware of the suspicions with respect to BLMIS investment going back to 2003 and 2004, based on their own investigation with Khronos Group, which eliminated any third-party oversight as the Second Circuit set forth in its summary of our facts concerning the BLMIS questions regarding risk of fraud.

I would also submit that the 2010 document production, you know, also shows that the Mayers, who were the managing directors of the Khronos Group, at the time of the transfers in question, the subsequent transfers in question and certainly had knowledge that, you now, they existed and produced documents showing their very existence.

You know, we've talked about Khronos being dominated by the Mayers, which is set forth in our recovery complaint at paragraph 108 where, again, there was a restriction as set forth in the Trustee's complaint at paragraph 108 in the recovery complaint and the Legacy Capital amended complaint at paragraph 52 which was incorporated by reference that the Mayers unusually restricted access to Legacy Capital's BLMIS investment to both Rafael and David Mayer, again removing any third-party oversight and controlling the historical review of the BLMIS Legacy Capital account statements.

As we said, these very allegations are cited in the Second Circuit appeal decision.

Rafael Mayer, turning to paragraph 81, we've put together a chart that shows that Rafael Mayer managed, at the time the transfers were made, Montpellier, Montpellier Resources, later Khronos Group, and Montpellier USA. These all invested through Montpellier and Montpellier USA was their majority owner and had voting and dispositive powers over them, citing paragraph 69.

We've also alleged as part of the New York alter ego analysis that Rafael Mayer -- all of these specific entities, Montpellier, Khronos Group, Montpellier USA, KLOF, Prince and Prince Resources all used Khronos LLC's New York address to do business. Montpellier USA was managed as well

by Rafael Mayer and Khronos in New York, complaint 17 and 81, and we alleged that Montpellier Resources invested through three entities of which it was the majority owner and over which it had voting and dispositive power, including Montpellier USA, paragraph 69. Montpellier Resources was also managed by Khronos at the same time.

We talked about earlier how Rafael Mayer had personal knowledge of subsequent transfers based on his role of Khronos as the investment advisor and therefore, based on his role as the investment advisor of both Legacy and Khronos LLC, Rafael Mayer knew on the filing date, which was December 11, 2008, that Legacy Capital could never satisfy a judgment against it, citing complaint paragraph 112.

Thus, upon avoidance, it was imminent that the Trustee would seek recovery of subsequent transfers within the within the statutory time period set forth in Section 550(f) of the Bankruptcy Code.

Rafael Mayer also knew that all of the transfers from Montpellier International to Montpellier Resources occurred between September 2007 and October 2008. Now this was prior to Montpellier Resources, later Khronos Group, being directed into a segregated accounts company in or about March of 2009. And Mr. Alter made reference to that segregated accounts company, and that's citing paragraphs 63 and 91 of our complaint.

So to use Mr. Fisher's words, this is where we start to see a shell game starting to unfold, you know, with the background of the Mayers' knowledge of subsequent transfers and the backdrop of the Mayers' role in terms of Khronos LLC taking over any review of Renaissance's concerns regarding the BLMIS investment and risk fraud. So right after, you know, soon after the December 11, 2008 filing date, it was clear that Legacy Capital would be liable for fictitious profits based on -- excuse me, when it was clear that --THE COURT: Aren't you just -- aren't you just telling me your complaint? I was looking for rebuttal. But it just seems to me you're just repeating your complaint. Am I missing something? MR. OLIVER: I'm trying to explain, Your Honor, that the actions that we're complaining about are not just limited to the liquidations and that the Mayers --THE COURT: Okay. But didn't you say that in your complaint basically? MR. OLIVER: Well, we talk about the Mayers being involved in creating a segregated accounts company after having knowledge of the subsequent transfers. And this is being set forth in paragraph 91. We also talk about the Mayers having knowledge of the subsequent transfers by their Rule 2004 document production in 2010.

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1 THE COURT: Okay. Go ahead. Go ahead. 2 think -- if you think it's different, I want to hear it. 3 MR. OLIVER: -- which is in paragraph 98. THE COURT: Okay. 4 5 MR. OLIVER: We then talk about in paragraphs 81 6 and 100 that Montpellier Resources name changed in August of 7 2010, where again the Mayers are creating a new entity in --8 THE COURT: I didn't mean to interrupt your 9 argument. I just -- I just didn't want you repeating what's 10 in your complaint, and now that's what you're doing. So 11 just continue with your argument. MR. OLIVER: We also have talked about KLOF 12 13 earlier and that the Mayers, you know, transferred --14 created KLOF as an entity that was owned by Khronos LLC and 15 in turn transferred the continuing class assets to KLOF such 16 that those funds were owned by Khronos and both Mayer 17 brothers were managing directors of Khronos LLC at the time. 18 The Trustee alleges that in July of 2019, Khronos Group transferred over \$109 million to KLOF, which was owned 19 20 by -- which was owned by Khronos LLC. 21 So again, we're -- the point here, Your Honor, is 22 to show that at multiple turns, and I appreciate this is somewhat evident in our complaint and in our briefing, the 23 Mayers created a new entity that received new transfers of 24 25 money, each time creating an entity that they controlled.

And just to be clear, David Mayer, who was not a managing director of KLOF but was an executive officer of KLOF in its formation of 2011 when that transfer was made.

And as we, you know, alleged in our complaint,

KLOF succeeded and took over for Khronos Group and the

Trustee sought recovery of Montpellier's subsequent

transfers from KLOF, and that's paragraphs 94 to 95.

And we've also alleged specific incidents of comingling of corporate funds. And, you know, these are -- I won't go through all of them. But they're in paragraphs 89 to 90 of our complaint. And chiefly important here is that the Mayers did personally benefit by entities - corporate entities paying their personal legal fees responding to the Trustee's complaint -- to the Trustee's Rule 2004 subpoena.

We also see the liquidations as part of the overall shell game approach where the Mayers, as we know, didn't provide notice to the Trustee. They were the director submitting the declaration of insolvency for foreign entities. And, you know, basically once again, like we saw in 2003 and 2004, the Mayers removed all independent oversight and, despite there potentially being other directors of both Montpellier International, Khronos Group and Prince, the Mayers, both Rafael and David Mayer, you know, designed declarations of solvency knowing that there

were claims that the Trustee would bring based on, you know, David Mayer and Rafael Mayer's own arguments that Legacy Capital was impecunious and that Section 550(f) provided a period of time to do so. so again we see the dissolution of these two companies, Montpellier, Khronos Group and Prince as a final step in the shell game where the misconduct of the Mayers led to distributing assets away from the Trustee's estate.

A final point, when we did avoid the judgment in the Legacy Capital action, we see that there was discovery misconduct once again with the Mayers because when the Trustee served this Rule 2004 subpoena in the summer of 2020 on Khronos LLC, the Mayers did not -- or Khronos Group did not provide the identity of the custodian of records for Prince.

Now Prince -- you know, the management of Prince was taken over in 2016 by Prince Capital, which is another Mayer entity managed by David Mayer as a director and which was formerly a subsidiary of Khronos LLC and run out of Khronos' New York office.

So as Judge Bernstein noted in his Rule 2004
motion to quash hearing, that that particular identity
should have been turned over, it wasn't, and it wasn't in
fact turned over to the Trustee at the last possible minute
under Judge Bernstein's discovery order, again, in our view,

for the purposes of making this as difficult as it could be for the Trustee to get information regarding subsequent transfers.

For those reasons, I think our motion to dismiss
- it's the Trustee's position that we have pled more than

enough at this stage for there to be an abuse of the

corporate forum, showing domination of David Mayer and

Rafael Mayer from Khronos LLC which is the investment

manager for each and every subsequent transferee at issue

and including those that were dissolved solely by the Mayers

without any notice or third-party oversight for voluntary

liquidations in the foreign -- in Bermuda and Cayman

Islands.

We also have pled that there's resulting injury to the Trustee. In summary, the complaint alleges that money was comingled among the dominated corporate defendants, their assets were stripped and they were liquidated in order to avoid repaying customer property to the BLMIS estate.

So the benefit to the Mayers and personal interest is another issue that was raised by both Mayer counsel in their arguments. We've asserted and alleged that the Mayers were protecting friends and family investments from recovery, citing paragraphs 71, 78 to 79 of our complaint.

And the Mayers were also seeking to profit from the continued business by transferring assets to a new entity,

KLOF, that they controlled, and that's paragraph 79. We do mention that the Mayers were profiting from this -- from this creation of new entities and from keeping the money away from the Trustee because they, as we know, were the managing directors of Khronos which was getting investment and performance fees at all times from these particular entities. So there is a benefit to the Mayers which are both reputational because, as we 'eve alleged, the funds were, you know, were family-related and associate-related. And also there's a fee aspect here too.

Finally, as Your Honor is aware, we've cited the Baby Phat Holding Company LLC v. Kellwood Co., 123 A.D.3d 405 (1st Dept. 2004), which said that allegations of corporate funds that were purposefully diverted to make it judgment-proof of that a corporation was resolved without making appropriate reserves for contingent liabilities are sufficient to satisfy the pleading requirement of wrongdoing which is necessary to pierce the corporate veil on an alter ego theory.

And I think at this point, you know, I would again, you know, just counter Mr. Fisher's argument that we haven't addressed English law. I think that we certainly have and we would take the position that our facts as pled in the complaint also plead a plausible alter ego or piercing the corporate veil complaint under foreign law,

which would be the law of England. Thank you, Your Honor.

THE COURT: Thank you. And your colleague?

MS. LONGSTAFF: Good afternoon, Your Honor.

Carrie Longstaff, on behalf of the Trustee. Your Honor, the counsel for KLOF skipped the jurisdictional argument which I'd like to -- you know, which I think goes to how specious their argument is on that point, and I'd like to cover it

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I just want to point out that I do think that there's general jurisdiction here over Khronos Liquid Opportunities Fund. The officers and the directors were all in New York. I mean, there's no -- the parties don't dispute that it's a Cayman Island-exempt company. KLOF is a mutual fund. It's run out of New York by its investment manager, and it's run by Rafael Mayer. I mean, we've pled this in our complaint.

And then even beyond the pleadings, which we tell the Court that it really doesn't need to look to, but if you look at Rafael Mayer's declaration, I mean, Exhibit K, they admit that KLOF has no staff in the Cayman Islands. And like I said, its current directors today are Mr. Mayer and Denise Mincak who are both not only in New York, but are officers and directors and owners of KLOF's investment manager, Khronos LLC.

Furthermore if we look at Khronos' ADV, Khronos

LLC, that is, you can see that Mr. Mayer is the managing director and portfolio manager of KLOF. Khronos LLC provides investment advice for KLOF. It selects and allocates the strategies and investments for KLOF. And Khronos LLC has also allocated a portion of KLOF's capital into its own separately managed account that's wholly owned and controlled by Khronos LLC.

Khronos LLC also has custody of all of the funds and all of the securities. And the other thing, which I know is in our papers, but we pointed out that the subscription agreement requires all paperwork be sent to Khronos LLC in New York, all questions, all transfers of shareholders all go to New York.

And KLOF still tries to say that it's in the

Cayman Islands. And what does it do to support that? It

gives this Court -- it points this Court to Exhibit M. And

Exhibit M gives a list of service providers. But it gives a

list of service providers in the U.S. as well as in Cayman,

and also missing from Exhibit M are pages, which as we've

told the Court, we have issues with the fact that we don't

have complete copies of documents.

And clearly the pages that are missing from that Exhibit M, the authoring memoranda from KLOF, talk about the investment advisory agreement. It talks about Khronos LLC, and it talks about the directors. And none of that has been

produced to the Trustee. And there's no doubt that that's relevant to show what KLOF is doing and who's running KLOF. But we know from Khronos LLC's ADV, we know who's running KLOF. It's Rafael Mayer and it's Khronos LLC out of New York.

For that reason, we believe that there's specific jurisdiction here, and we don't need to look at -- I'm sorry, there's general jurisdiction here and we don't need to look at specific jurisdiction because, as this Court knows, you need to purposefully direct activities at the forum. And the underlying cause of action needs to arise out of or relate to those activities.

And KLOF says it wasn't in existence at the time that the transfers went to Khronos Group, that the BLMIS transfers went out to Khronos Group. But as the Trustee has pled, KLOF succeeded and took over for the Khronos Group.

KLOF is Khronos Group's successor in interest and is a mere continuation of the Khronos Group.

And because of that, Khronos Group's contacts with this forum apply equally to KLOF in order to find specific jurisdiction. And these entities, as Mr. Oliver just explained, these entities aren't strangers to each other.

We're not dealing with strangers. We're dealing with all Mayer-owned and controlled entities. These are the same entities that are operating out of the same address, with

the same money, with the same people in New York.

Montpellier Resources, a Mayer entity, received
the BLMIS from Legacy Capital, another Mayer entity. That's
the BLMIS accountholder. Resources then transfers the BLMIS
money to Montpellier International, another Mayer-run
entity. They then rename Montpellier International as
Khronos Group. And then what do they do? They dissolve
Khronos Group. They decide they're going to dissolve
Khronos Group. But they turn it into KLOF, another Mayer
entity, another entity with Rafael Mayer.

KLOF succeeds and takes over for the Khronos Group after the complaint is filed in the Picard v. Legacy action in 2010. This was intentional. They were intentionally moving money. We've pled that. We've pled that the Mayers have intentionally dismantled structures and misused corporate forums. And we've pled that they dismantled these entities and replaced them with the structures centered around KLOF.

And our claim here is to recover a transfer or the value of that transfer. We don't need to prove that we're getting the exact dollar that came out of BLMIS. The first transfer out of BLMIS happened in New York. The subtenant transfer happened in New York, and the subsequent transfer happened here. These transfers were directed by the Mayers in New York. So certainly they touched this forum. They

arise out of the activities in this forum. And there can be no doubt that this Court has specific jurisdiction over them.

So what KLOF tries to do is it tries to tell this

Court that it didn't get the money because you know what it

did? It became a -- they -- Khronos Group became a

segregated account, and it became a segregated account in

2009, right? In 2009. And so what it does is it says we're

going to create a distribution account and continuing

account. And the distribution account is going to get all

current assets and liabilities and the continuing account

will get all future assets and liabilities, and they put in

this declaration to try to prove this.

But if we step back for a minute about the significance of the Mayer declaration, which I think Mr. Oliver has touched on, in 2020, in July of 2020, we served a subpoena on Khronos LLC as the manager of the various Mayer funds, and we sought to get information related to transfers. We had a meet-and-confer -- we didn't meet and confer in good faith. They just moved, and they moved to quash. And they wouldn't tell us who the custodian of records was for Prince, and it turns out that's a Prince entity.

And Judge Bernstein not only told them that they should have told us who the custodian was, he also ordered

them to give us all information, all documents concerning any and all transfers to and from Montpellier International and Prince assets and any transfers to the transferees.

And so what did they do? They gave us a carefully curated production of documents, very limited information about the transfers. So now we have this new Mayer -- Rafael Mayer declaration that clearly contains documents that were responsive to the Rule 2004 subpoena. I mean, just if we look at Exhibit A and B to the Mayer declaration, what are those letters? They seek the two transfers at issue in this case from Legacy Capital shareholder, Montpellier International. And it's for the \$27 million and the \$50 million. And they were never provided to the Trustee.

And now they seek to then provide limited information to the Trustee. They give a page here, a page there. We're not allowed to have everything. And all they've ever done is they continue to have excuses about why the Trustee can't collect the money. It either can't trace the money, it shouldn't move forward with the recovery action. We didn't get the money, it's not us.

So now if we go back to this continuing and the distribution account story, the problem with this is they split this in 2009. And then they give this Court Exhibit I to say, you know what, we forgot about that Legacy Capital

liability. So in 2011, they get the advice of Dickstein Shapira and Beckster Long. And who are they? They're the counsel for Khronos LLC, David Mayer, Rafael Mayer and Montpellier Resources who becomes Khronos Group. And they tell them what the potential maximum liability is.

And they say, you know what, we're going to take that maximum liability and we're going to put it over there in the distribution account because we said so. we're saying that's a past liability. That's where we're going to stick it. And what they did is they just arbitrarily assigned it over there. And Mr. Mayer does the declaration to this Court and says, you know what, KLOF didn't get any of the money. So you can't get anything from them.

And you know what they're saying here, Your Honor? They're basically taking a pitcher of water and what they did is they poured that pitcher of water into a cup. And they said we're going to take this little part of the pitcher of water, this cup here, and we're going to stick it over there and we're going to call it the distribution account. And we're going to say that includes the BLMIS money. That's where it is. It's over there. And this continuing piece is the rest of that pitcher of water and we're going to keep it over here.

What they also don't tell you is that they then took the money from the distribution account and they start

funneling it back into the continuing account. This is all while it's still Khronos Group. And we only know this now because we just got these documents. They have now -- we now appreciate further, now that we've looked back at the ledgers, that internally between the continuing account and the distribution account, they have poured back \$500 million in a matter of two years.

And the other thing they did that's most telling, is if you look at Exhibit G, the distribution account was always liquidating. In 2009, they were liquidating that piece of Khronos Group. And you know the other part was the continuing part. It was continuing on. They were going to move on with everything.

And I think that's why it's important if you also look at Exhibit J. Exhibit J is about how KLOF got the continuing account. But you know what else they did? They took everybody else's shares back from Khronos Group and they handed them KLOF shares because they were restructuring and the restructuring was in the best interest of the company. You know which company? Khronos Group. So they switched their hat and they were Khronos Group one day. And the next day, they're calling themselves KLOF.

And not only did they give them new shares. They also took the assets of Khronos Group and they took it subject to all liabilities, according to Exhibit J. But

what they did is they continue to tell us, no, no, Khronos
Group had the money. It had sufficient assets. Look at all
these financial statements we've given you. But they don't
tell you anything. It's a bottom line number with no other
documents. And by the way, Khronos Group is gone. Khronos
Group is liquidated.

So this whole story about how the distribution account still existed, how the money's there and you can get it from them, there's no Rafael Mayer declaration explaining how they're still monitoring the potential liability from the Legacy Capital action, which we know is back in the Second Circuit. So the liability just got bigger.

There's no information on this because Khronos

Group is gone. And you know what Khronos Group did? It

became KLOF. And they try to say that it didn't and they

try to say that it's false and it's a lie. But that's not

the case here.

So Your Honor, for these reasons, this is why we say there's specific jurisdiction, and we also say that we can recover the money from KLOF.

And I'd just like to turn quickly to the 550 point. Right? We have pled in our complaint all of the steps, as counsel has walked through. And the final step we plead is that KLOF succeeded and took over for Khronos Group. And the documents they put in which shouldn't be

considered because it's a 12(b)(6) motion only hurts their position and helps us. It only supports everything we've said in this complaint. And then they try to say that, well, Khronos Group didn't liquidate until 2007. And you've said that it continued on and it continued to exist.

But that's not what we say in paragraph 104, which they cite. All we say is they liquidated. And the fact that it took them that time to finally shut the company down once and for all doesn't mean that it operating, doesn't mean that it had any assets, doesn't mean it was doing anything.

The last thing we see from them is in 2011. So we don't know where all the money went to. We know it's gone, and we know there was a continuing piece. And we know in '09, they were continuing and liquidating. The continuing piece became KLOF.

And the only other thing I will add, Your Honor, is just that even they try to say for the 550 piece that maybe it went to distribution, maybe. They don't cite anything because they know that this Court shouldn't be looking at documents beyond the pleadings.

But the one thing that's clear is we did properly plead the claim because, you know what, Khronos Group is KLOF and we have the right -- Khronos Group got the money and now we're seeking it from KLOF. KLOF can't just change

its name and say, no, no, we don't have the money. You didn't provide us notice. We don't know. We don't know what transfers we got. You didn't give us the vital statistics. We did. We've provided the vital statistics for the 550 claim. That's all I have, Your Honor. Thank you so much.

THE COURT: Very good. Rebuttal?

MR. FISHER: Yes, Your Honor. Eric Fisher again, for Rafael Mayer. I can't possibly address everything that's been said, and of course I won't. I just want to focus on a few things.

And maybe this is not such a delicate way to say

it. But I really think that the Trustee with this complaint

is testing the very outer limits of what he can get away

with. At the end of the day, the Court will of course need

to apply the pleading standards and look for facts in the

complaint that support these grand theories and these

conspiracy theories and these stories that the Court has

been told today that don't tie to facts that are alleged in

the complaint.

It's interesting that they describe Rafael Mayer as this villain when they argue that this is not a fraud complaint and they shouldn't be held to the standards of Rule 9(b). So that's pretty interesting, and I think demonstrates that they don't have the facts to support these

kinds of stories. But it doesn't matter because the complaint fails under Rule 8 as well.

Discovery. This is not a discovery conference. I do not know why we're arguing about discovery. But to be really clear, because I was involved in that discovery and because it's been so brutally mischaracterized, they issued a subpoena. The subpoenaed parties challenged that subpoena. It was litigated in front of Judge Bernstein who narrowed the subpoena.

Before they filed the complaint, they agreed with the subpoenaed parties that the subpoena, in accordance with Judge Bernstein's narrowed order, had been complied with.

They said the subpoena was closed. They said if they wanted more information, they'd have to issue it in the context of litigation discovery.

And the idea that they're trying to bootstrap,
mischaracterize false alleged discovery abuses into some
basis to pierce the corporate veil is really nothing short
of an outrage.

They've also talked about how this case intersects with the Second Circuit's good faith decision in the Legacy case. And I didn't have a chance to speak to that in my opening remarks. So I just really briefly want to speak to that.

THE COURT: Okay.

MR. FISHER: Let's take the really wide view on what's going on here and where this now goes. Okay. They basically said, oh, we pled a Legacy complaint back in 2010. By the way, they've conceded in their argument that they've known since 2010 that the subsequent transferees were Montpellier and Prince entities, and they never did anything about it.

That being said, they said we pled a complaint back then. The complaint pled factual knowledge and willful blindness. And Judge Bernstein said, no, you haven't pled enough facts to show that Khronos LLC or Legacy were willfully blind or had actual knowledge of the fraud. It went up on appeal to the Second Circuit. The Second Circuit has not said that's not the right standard. It's an inquiry notice standard. We're going to send it back to the Bankruptcy Court to proceed.

Fine. And in the Legacy case, which I presume will roll forward, there will be litigation about whether Rafael Mayer as managing director of Khronos LLC which was the investment manager to Legacy's shareholders and provided other account services to Legacy, there will be questions about was there anything that made you suspect that this might be a Ponzi scheme. What due diligence did Khronos LLC then do in response? And this is not the time for that case.

But ultimately the question there is, okay, then if they can follow the money to Legacy and they can follow the money to other shareholders of Legacy, they can go ahead and try to recover it. This general vague sense that Mr. Oliver has that Rafael Mayer is a bad guy and therefore I'm going to hold him personally liable for corporate transfers has no basis whatsoever in the law, whatever Mr. Oliver or the Court or I think of Mr. Mayer. It has no basis in the law whatsoever.

And the other thing that the Court needs to be careful about is the way that they throw terms around. And this gets to the difference between conclusions and facts. When they talk about this case, they talk about Mayer entities and they talk about domination and control. Okay. A CEO makes decisions for a company. A board of directors makes decisions for a company. A majority shareholder controls a company.

That doesn't mean that you can't pierce the corporate veil, and they haven't actually alleged anything more than that. They say Rafael Mayer is the managing director of Khronos LLC which is an investment manager to these entities and therefore can make lots of decisions for these entities. Absolutely right. That's absolutely right. And that's not a basis for piercing the corporate veil.

The only wrongful conduct is this notion that

money was put out of the reach of the Trustee by virtue of the liquidation. That's really it when you look through the conclusions and the fog and the mist and look for facts.

And when you realize that those are the only facts that matter, you realize that UK law applies, and you realize that as a matter of law, they cannot possibly proceed on this alter ego theory which, as I said before, is devastating to an individual human being without any basis. It is an abuse of their power.

THE COURT: Very good.

MR. STEARNS: I will be very brief, Your Honor. I know that you've listened patiently to a long argument. But let me tell you what you didn't hear.

In response to our point that New York expressly - bankruptcy law expressly prohibits reliability for aiding
and abetting, taking money out of a transfer. The case is
Klein v. Tabatchnick. I would urge the Court to read the
case. It is cited at 459 F.Supp 707. You'll see the Second
Circuit dealt with it at 610 F.2d 1043.

In that case, a senior officer, in fact, the president of a company allegedly took money that was subject to a 505 claim, and that money was then -- a 550 claim, and that money was then transferred to friends and family. And the Court said there is no aiding and abetting liability under 550, period, end of story.

so what you heard over a lengthy period of time is two arguments. One argument is what's in the complaint over and over and over again, which repeats the same arguments that essentially now we hear they're making an aiding and abetting claim because their dissolution claim that occurs ten years after the transfers is so preposterous, there's so basically no claim that, forget the foreign law issue for a minute, whether you're dealing with New York law, whether you're dealing with Cayman law, whether you're dealing with the law in the Bermuda, there's no claim here. It's ten years after the transfers.

And so now what they're saying, well no, no, go back and look at all the other things these officers did in their corporate capacity. They aided and abetted. That's what their argument is, and they can't make that argument.

And let me tell you, it isn't in the complaint in any event. What you heard in the last half-hour was an argument that isn't anywhere found in this complaint. In fact, the most important thing they said in their reply brief is, Judge, please let us amend because what you have is a case that literally, it is a designer theory to avoid the Klein decision. And you can't avoid the Klein decision. There's no personal liability of David Mayer for allegedly participating in aiding and abetting moving monies to transfers. And by the way, these transfers occurred in '08

and '09 and the Trustee knew about it in 2010.

And so if the money that came in and was transferred out and then allegedly there's a dissolution ten years later, you cannot breathe life into a claim that didn't exist in 2010 by saying a dissolution in 2020 when there's no allegation by 2020 there was any money left in that fund in any event. I mean, it's just a preposterous legal theory unsupported by these facts. And these individuals, David Mayer has no business being part of this claim.

And the last point I want to make is over and over and over again they say the Mayers, the Mayers, the Mayers, the Mayers. There are two Mayers in this case, Rafael Mayer and David Mayer. They're two human beings. They live in different countries. And the process of adding them together and treating them so that if one is a corporate officer of one entity, their argument is they're all the corporate officers because they're brothers.

It doesn't work that way. Group pleading is inappropriate, and the argument that they rely upon to continue to make that argument is clearly an inappropriate under a 12(b)(6) argument. But frankly, you don't even need to get there because there's no claim here. So respectfully, Your Honor, the motion to dismiss should be granted.

Page 174 1 THE COURT: Very good. Very good. I heard you 2 clearly. MR. OLIVER: If I may just a few moments, Your 3 Honor, in rebuttal to arguments made for KLOF? 4 5 THE COURT: Go ahead. 6 MR. ALTER: First of the jurisdictional points, 7 you know, Your Honor, with regard to general jurisdiction, I 8 would like to refer the Court to a case I came upon in 9 preparing for the argument. It's a Second Circuit case which interpreted Daimler which is one of the leading 10 11 Supreme Court cases on general jurisdiction. And the name of the case is Gucci America v. Li, and you can find it at 12 13 768 F.3d 122, jump cite 135, Second Circuit 2014. And I'll 14 read you the quote directly which I think bears on the 15 analysis here. 16 It speaks about general jurisdiction available 17 against foreign corporations. And it says, "Only where its 18 contacts are so continuous and systemic, judged against the 19 corporation's national and global activities, that it is 20 essentially at home in the state." So the Circuit has read 21 the law to require that the Court also do a measure, a 22 balance as to what the companies' activities are both 23 nationally and globally. 24 As we set out in our papers, Your Honor, at most, 25 at any time, there was a 0.12 percent U.S. ownership in

KLOF. That was the participation of American individuals and investment, 0.12 percent. And I argue to the Court that under Gucci, that's not the kind of continuous and systemic contacts judged against a corporation's national and global activities, national and global that can present general jurisdiction for all claims in all purposes in the United States.

On specific jurisdiction, we rely on Your Honor's articulation of the rule in the Fair Sentry case and it requires that a defendant show that the culpable conduct involves at least in some part financial transactions that touch the forum.

You know, Your Honor, in responding to that, the Trustee points to everybody else but KLOF. KLOF wasn't even in existence. KLOF came into existence in 2011. So it's really hard to imagine that KLOF can be tagged with any culpable conduct. They may want to point to all these other entities. And I support if the Court is going down the route of piercing corporate veils, that may have an impact on the Court's analysis. But without that, no, there is no culpable conduct that they can -- one, that KLOF ever committed but, two, that ever touched the corporate forum.

And next, you know, there's a standard analysis in specific jurisdiction law that requires you to consider whether the company ever, ever anticipated being called into

a U.S. court. Well, Your Honor, we heard the Trustee's interpretation of the documents attached in our motion which related solely to the jurisdictional point. And that became a little unclear in the Trustee's argument a moment ago.

But the point that we made with those documents is that, one, KLOF never received the funds. Now the Trustee went off on a tirade of speculation about what happened between accounts and monies that were transferred. There's no evidence to that and it's not pled in the complaint. But the evidence that we provided showed that KLOF never received the funds.

Two, Khronos Group remained solvent after 2011 transfer to KLOF. So in other words, even after the monies were sent from Montpellier to KLOF -- from Khronos Group to KLOF, KLOF was solvent and could have met any judgment entered by the Trustee. Why would KLOF feel that it could be haled into court if there was a solvent entity still in existence that could answer for the Legacy transfer claim?

And then there's the fact that KLOF and Khronos
Group coexisted for six years until Khronos Group was
dissolved. Again this goes to the very odd notion which is
entirely unsupported and is absolutely contradicted by
paragraph 114 which reads, "On September," -- I'm sorry,
104, which reads, "On September 6, 2007, Khronos Group was
dissolved after voluntary liquidation." It was there. It

existed for six years. Why would KLOF feel that it could be haled into court when the potential defendant in a 550 case was in existence? It makes no sense.

Now -- and it's self-contradictory. It

contradicts -- the complaint's allegations contradict

themselves because, again, as I started out in my argument

by saying that the touchstone argument here, Your Honor, for

the Trustee is that somehow there was some sort of successor

liability -- I'm sorry, successor in interest liability I

believe the Trustee's counsel referred to in her argument.

Respectfully, where does the Trustee get that?

There's no -- first of all, there's no allegation other than that conclusion. There's no allegation of any transaction. There's no allegation of any contract or merger. Nothing. Silent. Okay. Secondly, as I just pointed out, the succeeded entity lasted for six years after the transfer.

Look, the story told, the Trustee brought this complaint. The Trustee, by the book, must be held to the rule of stating the facts that state a claim. We heard a very impassioned response by Trustee's counsel, none of which is contained in the complaint. They made a representation that they can show \$500 million went to the continuing account. I don't think that's possible. But they did not allege it.

Page 178 1 You have a huge chasm between Khronos Group and 2 KLOF. And until and unless they can close that chasm, there is simply no cause of action in law. That winds up my 3 4 argument, Your Honor. 5 THE COURT: Very good. Very good. I'm taking 6 under advisement. You'll receive a written opinion. 7 MR. ALTER: Thank you, Your Honor. 8 MR. OLIVER: Thank you, Your Honor. 9 THE COURT: Thank you for hosting. So you have to 10 turn us all off. 11 MR. STEARNS: Thank you, Your Honor. 12 MR. ALTER: Thank you, Your Honor. 13 THE COURT: Very good. Have a good day. 14 MR. FISHER: You too, Your Honor. 15 THE COURT: Thank you for your arguments. 16 MR. OLIVER: Thank you. 17 18 (Whereupon these proceedings were concluded.) 19 20 21 22 23 24 25

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